

**FORECAST**—Moderate to fresh southwest winds, fair at first; increasing cloudiness tonight with mist and light scattered showers on Thursday.

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## The War Today

By GUY RHOADES

### AGAINST EGYPT

The battle of Britain shouldered today, but the Battle of Africa burst into action which experts believe will bring early successes to the Italians, but final victory to the British and Egyptians.

Benito Mussolini, forgetting a recent promise not to attack Egypt, sent his forces from Libya against the ancient kingdom, but Egyptian authorities said the only Italian soldiers on their soil were several hundred prisoners.

Mussolini ordered roughly 500,000 Italian and native troops into three operations against Egypt, against Kenya colony and against British Somaliland. The Egyptian campaign was considered the really important one, for its success would threaten the Suez Canal toward which the Duce has shown covetousness ever since he embarked on the policy of an "Italian" Mediterranean.

### OPPOSING FORCES

In the Egyptian campaign Italy has 250,000 men commanded by the veteran desert warrior Marshal Rodolfo Graziani.

Opposing these is a smaller British force composed for the most part of veteran desert warriors and commanded by General Sir Archibald Wavell, who has fought campaigns in India, Egypt, Palestine and Trans-Jordan.

The British force is highly mobile, possessed of high striking power, and it controls the water supply for the battle zone.

Mussolini, as usual, omitted the formality of declaring war before striking at a country which had remained non-belligerent, if not neutral. The Egyptian army, trained and armed by Britain, presumably now will be called upon to fight.

### DESPERATION

The Italians probably will find soon that they have a tough proposition on their hands. It is their job to attack while the British fight an offensive defence, harrying them, breaking their supply lines and communications and cutting off their water supply.

Lack of water probably will give the Italian army in the desert as much trouble as anything. Troops must drink or die, engines must have water or seize and stop. Both men and engines need more water in a land where the temperature rockets from the chill 40's of night time to the blazing 120's of noon.

To Mussolini the new campaign may be one of desperation to seek the products of the rich Nile, once the granary for ancient Rome, the metals and fibres he needs to run his war machine.

### THE STAKES

If he should win he would win a lot and Britain would lose greatly, perhaps having to surrender her control of the Near East altogether. That would mean loss of the Persian gulf oil supplies, loss of influence in Turkey and loss of prestige in the Orient to the advantage of Japan.

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ESCAPED U-BOAT PRISONER—Walther Kurt Reich, right, German submarine crewman, tells K. Bockme, assistant German consul at Boston, how he escaped from a British prison ship in the St. Lawrence River July 15 and made his way from Canada to the United States. Discovered by immigration authorities trudging along a country road in northern Maine, Reich told how he wriggled through a porthole of the ship bringing him to Canada, swam for two hours, and lived on berries during his two-week walk toward what he hoped was freedom. He is being detained by U.S. immigration officials.

## Final Bulletins

### Fight Off Brazil?

### Bomb Factories

Rio de Janeiro (AP)—The newspaper Anoiteiro reported without confirmation from any official source this afternoon that loud explosions, "perhaps" from a new encounter between the shell-scarred British armed merchantman Alcantara and a German raider had been heard at sea last night.

The newspaper said its report came from the crew of the Brazilian ship Ararangua at Victoria, 300 miles northwest of Rio de Janeiro. The newspaper said the crew saw "two armed ships."

### Child Ship Bill

WASHINGTON (AP)—Legislation authorizing United States ships to enter belligerent waters to evacuate child refugees was passed by the House of Representatives this afternoon and sent to the Senate.

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OTTAWA (CP)—An order in-council announced this afternoon by Defence Minister Ralston, citizens of a foreign country enlisting in the active militia of Canada may do so without taking the oath of allegiance prescribed by the Militia Act, if by so doing they would lose their citizenship.

Men enlisting without taking the oath, however, will be required to make the regular declaration that they serve in the Canadian Active Service Force "so long as an emergency" exists.

### Asks Greater Effort

LONDON (CP Cable)—Herbert Morrison, Minister of Supply, appealed to the Empire countries in a broadcast tonight "to confine and still further increase your efforts" toward successful prosecution of the war.

NEW YORK (AP)—The Russian fleet, made up of light and heavy naval units, submarines and aircraft, has sailed into the Pacific on "large scale manoeuvres," said a British Broadcasting Company announcement picked up today by the National Broadcasting Company's short wave service.

### RUSSIANS EXERCISE

LONDON (CP)—The Admiralty announced tonight that the minesweeping trawler River Clyde had been sunk by a German mine.

### Navy Insulted; Picture Comes Down

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The roisterous title—"Sailors and Floozies"—was bad enough, but when the United States Navy saw that painting, it knew it had been outdone.

And the result was that Paul Cadmus' conception of a sailor's diversions ashore came down in a hurry from where it was hanging in the Palace of Fine Arts at Treasure Island.

Conceding the painting was "unnecessarily dirty," Dr. Walter Hellen, one of the officials at the fine arts exhibit, said "if we were a master work, I'd take a stand against shelving it."

But as far as I'm concerned, it's not a masterpiece and is just unpleasant," he explained.

The navy wanted to make a do about the picture, so we thought it simpler to remove it."

CAROL GOES FASCIST—A Fascist atmosphere rules when King Carol of Romania at right makes his first visit to the Bolshevik headquarters of the "Party of the People," since cession of Bessarabia to Russia. Garbed in the party's new white-jacketed uniform, he receives the Fascist salute from army officers. Besides the Hitler uniform, the Hitler salute, Carol has now adopted the Hitler moustache.

## Italians Launch Mass Drive Egypt and Suez Mussolini's Objective

LONDON (CP)—A concentration of at least two Italian divisions was reported on the Libyan frontier near the Mediterranean coast today and British military circles declared "it looks as though the Italians are ready" to advance into Egypt on a large scale attempt to fulfill one of Mussolini's dreams—possession of Suez.

Official circles at Cairo denied, however, that the Italians already had crossed the frontier.

"The only Italian officers present on Egyptian soil are one general and 818 officers and other ranks—prisoners," said a semi-official statement at British headquarters.

Military circles in London said the two Italian divisions were concentrated in the Bardia area, adjacent to the Egyptian frontier.

This concentration is opposed by a small mobile British force of expert desert fighters who have been carrying out the first phase of the operations in Africa, a sort of guerrilla warfare of lightning raids, skirmishes and reconnaissance expeditions.

Brutons were warned today by the London Daily Express, which is owned by the Minister for Aircraft Production, Lord Beaverbrook, that they may expect "some Italian successes" in the war in Africa.

Both Zeila and Berbera are across from the British protectorate of Aden, however, and the Italians may hope ultimately to be in a position to close the southern entrance to the Red Sea.

"Zeila is a coastal village of little importance, with a road running 150 miles along the coast to Berbera," said British military quarters. "Possession of either port will mean little to the Italians, who, of course, do not control the sea."

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### British Expected To Counter-attack

British military circles said the Italian columns moving on Hargeisa and Odweina had to cross high hills over a single track road "barely negotiable for vehicles."

Neutral military observers said these hill roads were possible points for the first British counter-attack.

### Italians Enter Somaliland Towns

CAIRO (AP)—A British communiqué today said:

"On August 5 an Italian column entered Zeila unopposed. (The town is a Gulf of Aden port in British Somaliland.)

"The same day Hargeisa was

captured by a strong force which included tanks, artillery, machine guns and aircraft. Our delaying force fell back after inflicting severe casualties, including three tanks. Our casualties were slight. (The capture of this place followed a 32-mile march through the desert by the enemy.)

"During the morning of August 5 Odweina (a third objective of the enemy's offensive) was occupied by the enemy with a force estimated at 2,000, with guns and armored fighting vehicles.

"A small motorized force of the Somaliland Camel Corps harassed the enemy, themselves suffering no loss."

### Few Casualties In Raid on Haifa

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### Lack of Water Harpoons Italians

By LARRY ALLEN

CAIRO (AP)—The African War, suddenly assuming a more important part in the big conflict, may be decided as much by water as by bullets and bombs.

Britain's most powerful natural defences against the troops assembled by Mussolini in the Libyan desert are thirst and heat.

There is a waterless stretch of blazing desert and almost 400 miles between the Italian posi-

tions and the British base at Mera Matruh, on the Mediterranean coast. Temperatures of 115 and 120 degrees are usual in the daytime.

Marshal Rodolfo Graziani, Mussolini's commander in Libya, will have to transport all his water over dusty trails almost devoid of cover and subject to the attacks of the Royal Air Force and motorized British land units. The British forces are composed of hardy fighting men, some of the Empire's most famous regiments, who have been trained for years in desert warfare.

The British forces have a line of oases to fall back on.

### Naval Blockade Weakens Enemy

The naval blockade of the Libyan coast already has prevented much-needed supply ships from getting through from Italy, while the R.A.F. has been subjecting Graziani's bases at Tobruk, Bardia and Derna to daily attacks.

Every shot fired by the Italians brings the day closer when Mussolini's African empire must crumble, British officials say, because the British navy makes it impossible for ships to bring fresh aid.

The council voted 27 to 2 to drop the item—No. 1—from the agenda of the meeting.

The meeting, presided over by Pro-Major Edmond Hamelin, failed to find an opening after leaving his name with one of the Royal Air Force and motorized British land units. The British forces are composed of hardy fighting men, some of the Empire's most famous regiments, who have been trained for years in desert warfare.

How it is brewed is a secret, but it looks like beer, tastes like beer and contains the same ingredients—except the alcohol.

The new beverage, production of which has been fixed temporarily at 1,000,000 gallons a year, is said to fill a gap left by wartime restrictions and rationing of coffee substitutes, milk and tea.

Nazi press advocates say the basic idea was to create a "common beverage" which is "appetizing, has the stimulating effects of beer and quenches the thirst without possessing the tiring influence of alcohol."

It is delivered in ordinary wooden kegs and flows from the tap carbonated like real beer.

### Call By L.G.

LONDON (CP)—David Lloyd George warned his fellow Welshmen in a broadcast today that "such a tempest as Britain has never before encountered is about to break upon her and all that she stands for."

But if the people are worthy of their forefathers, he continued, "Britain will pass through this hurricane fearless and erect and will emerge from it safe, mightier and more honored and more powerful than ever for the good of mankind."

The ministry's statement followed British press criticism of an implied plea by the United States ambassador to Belgium, John Cudahy, that the British open its blockade for food shipments.

The occasion of the message was to express sympathy on cancellation of the Eisteddfod, the Welsh national music festival.

### Hungary Demands

BUDAPEST, Hungary (AP)—Rumania was told today through a semi-official envoy that Hungary demands no less than 75 per cent of Transylvania if her 20-year territorial dispute with Rumania is to be settled satisfactorily.

The British government will bear the whole of any net loss which may arise from the transaction and will share equally with the Rumanian government any net profits.

Other changes in the regulations permit the registration of employees in plants having more than 100 employees at polling booths to be established in the plants, and the registration of a citizen absent from his ordinary place of residence at the nearest booth.

(See page 18 for registration here.)

### All Egypt's Cotton Bought By Britain

LONDON (CP)—Richard Bell, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, today announced Britain is setting up a commission to buy the entire 1940 Egyptian cotton crop of 1,600,000 bales (800,000,000 pounds).

This was being done on the appeal of Egypt, whose regular outlets for cotton have been cut off by the war. The purchase will be made before April 4, 1941, he said, at prices of about 14.25 to 15.25 cents a pound.

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## Firms Here Start Registration

National registration, which begins for the general public on August 19, actually got underway in Victoria today when government servants, inmates of hospitals and employees of large firms began filling out the forms which will tell the government what it wants to know for the mobilization of Canada's human resources.

Sydney Child, registrar, announced that forms have been supplied to a half a dozen firms and offices which may take registrations under special provisions at the act.

Firms with more than 100 employees are permitted to take the advance registration. So also are government institutions, and the hospitals.

Mr. Child said he expected nearly 10,000 persons would be registered in Victoria under this plan before wholesale registration starts on August 19. At the Parliament Buildings alone nearly 1,000 will be taken. Civic staffs will register at the City Hall.

Only those actually employed may register this way, not their families.

Meanwhile Mr. Child is proceeding with the organization for the general registration on the 19th, 20th and 21st. More than 600 persons who have volunteered as deputy registrars will be sworn in next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 737 Fort Street. Offices will be open from 8 in the morning to 10 at night with the volunteer deputies working in three shifts.

Biggest problem in handling upwards of 30,000 who are expected to register in the three-day period will be that of rush hours. For this reason Mr. Child urges that housewives and young people not employed register during the day, leaving the evenings free for workmen and those otherwise tied up during the day.

Word came from Ottawa today that men enlisted in the non-permanent active militia must register the same as civilians.

Special provision has also been made for registering the inmates and staffs of religious or benevolent institutions, hospitals and convalescent homes within the places they are confined. Ailing persons can be registered at their bedside.

Indians and Eskimos do not have to register.

#### JAPANESE ASSIST

Arrangements for taking Japanese and Chinese have now been completed.

S. Hemmy, secretary of the Victoria Japanese Association, said today the association has volunteered its services for the registration of all Japanese in this and adjoining districts.

"We are glad to help the government," he said.

Chinese who helped with the registration in the last war have volunteered their services as deputies and interpreters and have been appointed to their duties in Chinatown.

#### Survivors Landed

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt (CP)—Nine survivors of the Greek steamship Roula, sunk by an Italian submarine off Crete, reached Alexandria today after a five-day struggle against heavy seas that threatened to swamp their lifeboat.

Another lifeboat, containing nine men, is missing.

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#### Last-Minute Rush Ends Session

## Parliament Takes Recess Till Nov. 5

OTTAWA (CP)—The first session of Canada's 19th Parliament adjourned at 1:12 this afternoon, E.D.T., after sitting since May 16. It will convene again November 5.

While the adjournment was taken to the second last month of the year, the members of both the Commons and the Senate were instructed to be ready to assemble earlier should developments necessitate calling Parliament before that date.

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In its final drive to end the session, the Commons sat 14½ hours with time out only for meals, and rose at 1:30 this morning to await completion of all business by the Commons earlier.

"I could have told the senator a week ago the regulations would not be tabled before adjournment to give this House an opportunity to discuss them," replied Senator Meighen. "It is making a monkey of Parliament."

#### More R.A.F. Successes

## British Plane Bombs Nazi Planes at Bourget

LONDON (CP)—An Air Ministry statement tonight said a Royal Air Force medium bomber had bombed Le Bourget airport at Paris and that bombs had landed near German aircraft and hangars.

The bulletins said the raid was able to drop his load and retreat into the clouds before anti-aircraft batteries could be brought into action.

The pilot reported that several large twin-engined German aircraft were on the runways and others of medium size near the hangars when he swooped down from covering clouds, completely surprising the airport personnel.

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### Pledges New World For British Poor

LONDON—(CP)—A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, told a luncheon audience today that his feeling regarding the defence of Britain, "far from being one of pessimism, is one of great encouragement."

He declared that Britain's "moat" (The English Channel and North Sea) is "now immeasurably defended and her ramparts are far higher and broader" than they were when the Battle of France ended.

"There has been much talk about war aims," said Mr. Alexander. "Here is one which brooks no denial or delay:

"Our working men and women have responded magnificently to any and every call made upon them. Their reward must be a new Britain. Peace will come; never again must the unemployed become the forgotten men of the peace."

### Internees Use Bribes

LONDON—(CP)—The home office, which has taken control of internment camps from the war office, was reported today to have discovered that at least 100 dangerous aliens ordered shipped abroad had bribed other internees to take their places.

"So inadequate was the check on the camps," said the Evening News, "that it was possible for the most dangerous aliens to change their identity as they desired."

The paper added that active fifth columnists among the aliens would go to any extreme to remain in Britain for the expected German offensive.

### Australians to Vote

CANBERRA (CP - Reuters)—The Australian government has abandoned the proposal to seek from Westminster power to prolong the life of the present parliament, whose term will expire November 28.

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## 'Howling Hell Now— Worse Next Winter'

LONDON (CP)—John Cudahy, formerly United States minister at Brussels, declared today the food situation in Germany occupied Belgium was "very, very serious."

"Belgium imports 75 per cent of her wheat," he said. "Present supplies, with severe rationing—225 grams, or half a pound, of bread per person per day—will last until September 1, or at best until early October."

If the continent is a howling Hell now, what do you think it will be this winter?"

"All industry has stopped. Thousands upon thousands of people left the country and there are still more than 2,500,000 Belgians somewhere in France.

In their homeland, harvests rotting in the sun."

#### KING LEOPOLD DEFENDED

Mr. Cudahy, en route to the United States, said the Belgians "know that British victory is

their only hope of salvation," but at the same time defended the action of King Leopold in surrendering his army and exposing the British expeditionary force to the danger of annihilation.

"I feel we should try and see both sides of this predicament, not judge harshly on insufficient facts," he said.

"Put yourself in his place. He commanded an army of half a million men which intermingled with as many panic-stricken refugees. He was haunted by the thought that each hour he continued the resistance it meant death, not only to his soldiers, but to those helpless people."

"Faced by the prospect of this sacrifice of human life, he had no other choice."

On the food question, the minister said that unless supplies were found by mid-September, a condition "close to famine" will prevail.

## Lapointe Not Quitting, Staying Until Victory

OTTAWA—Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, who as the Liberal leader of French-Canada returned to Ottawa to deal with the Mayor Houde crisis, denied reports in circulation around Ottawa to the effect he was leaving the government.

Suffering from diabetes, he has been building up physically during the last couple of weeks under doctors' orders at his summer home near here.

"There is no truth in the suggestion that Quebec province has not received national registration and compulsory military service for home defense with hearty approval," said Mr. Lapointe. "As a minister from this province, I have had virtually no protests. I have had a lot of anonymous letters and letters threatening my life. I pay no attention to them. "I want to tell you that Quebec

has received the principle of national registration and compulsory military service in defence of Canada as loyally and as heartily as any section of the Dominion.

"I have no intention of going to the Senate, or resigning my cabinet post, or in any other way ceasing to do my utmost in support of the government's war prosecution. Unless my health breaks down completely, I will be at Mr. King's side until the end. Personally, I completely support national registration and I can speak from certain knowledge that my province does so also. I have no thought of laying aside my work until this war is won by a victory for the Empire and for Canada. I know the heart of my province and I can rely on myself to stay the course."

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## FRANKLIN BALLAD BELIEVED FOUND

BOSTON (AP)—Discovery of a ballad that may have been the first literary work of Benjamin Franklin, lost for 175 years, was revealed last night by Maurice Babcock Jr., son of the keeper of Boston Light.

Titled "The Lighthouse Tragedy," the ballad was mentioned in Franklin's autobiography, but Franklin students

had not heard of it in vain.

Babcock said he found the tattered, yellowed, single-sheet in old English characters—in the pocket of a rotting leather jacket he came across in the ruins of an old house on lonely Middle Brewster Island, in Boston harbor.

The autobiography relates that Franklin wrote it as a boy of 14 at the inducement of his brother, a printer. News of the drowning of George Worthylake, first keeper of Boston Light, his wife Annie and their daughter Ruth, had just come to the mainland. The tragedy became the topic of the ballad.

No trace of him—or of the taxi—had been found since.

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### Powder Plant Wrecked, 3 Men Killed in Ohio

LEBANON, O. (AP)—Three men were killed today in a terrible explosion that wrecked a powder-processing building of the King Powder Company, at nearby King's Mills.

They were Charles Resibols, 55; Hobart Combs, 25, and William Reed, 45.

The powder plant, one of the oldest in the United States, occupies scores of small buildings along a one-and-a-half-mile frontage.

### Wants Defence Treaty

NEW YORK (CP)—The New York Herald Tribune, reiterating editorially its belief "urgent national defence" demands the dispatch of spare United States destroyers to aid Great Britain, urged anew today negotiation of a defence treaty with Canada.

The seat was made vacant by the appointment of Frank Kingsley Griffith, Liberal, to a county court judgeship. In the 1935 general election Mr. Griffith polled 13,689 votes against 12,764 for H. Kegie, Labor, and 11,387 for W. A. Spofforth, National Labor.

Ex-Alderman Held

MONTREAL (CP)—Thomas Gerald McManus was held in Montreal today by Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers who took him into custody yesterday at Gentilly, Que., on the south side of the St. Lawrence River, not far from Three Rivers.

He will be transferred to Regina on request of police officials there, in connection with what they said were Communist activities in Saskatchewan. McManus is a former alderman of Regina.

Police officers in Montreal would make no comment on the arrest, other than to confirm that it had been made and that McManus was in custody in Mont-

## Alarm Expressed Over Japanese On B.C. Coast

VANCOUVER (CP)—A special committee today undertook its task of drafting a resolution to be presented to the next meeting of the city council, expressing alarm at the presence of large numbers of Japanese scattered along the British Columbia coast.

If approved, the resolution will be sent to Ottawa.

This action was decided on in

finance committee after Alderman Halford Wilson had concluded a talk on a long list of charges against Japanese residents of Vancouver.

Mr. Wilson, who long has denounced the issuing of trade

licenses to Orientals in this city, said that "for many years a farsighted group has watched a situation develop which would menace the safety of our people."

"In Canada," he said, "and in British Columbia particularly, we have come to believe the Japanese residents are not loyal to the Empire, but are ferociously working for their own gods in far off Japan."

That situation exists today just as it did years ago, except that there are far more Japanese here than there were at that time," he continued. "They have given no support to our war effort and have made few donations to the Red Cross."

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## Detective Still Looks For Judge Crater

NEW YORK (AP)—The stranger-than-fiction disappearance of Joseph Force Crater, the New York State Supreme Court justice who stepped into a taxi and out of it 10 years ago today, still is on the active "missing persons" list at police headquarters.

He is dead in court records, he is dead to his wife, who collected \$20,561 insurance on his life, but "lives" in police files.

The two detectives originally assigned to the case are retired. Another, Detective Clinton Schlunsen, works on it today.

"And if we don't find Crater or indisputable evidence of his death before Schlunsen retires, another man will be assigned," said Captain John Stein.

On August 3, 1930, the independently wealthy jurist, then 41, returned from his Maine vacation to New York. Three days later he arranged through a secretary to withdraw \$5,100 from two banks, ate supper at a Broadway night spot and stepped into a cab alone.

No trace of him—or of the taxi—had been found since.

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### CHINESE TROOPS AT INDO-CHINA LINE

LONDON (CP)—A Reuter

Chinese news agency press from Shanghai today said the Chinese were reported to have warned French authorities they would take military measures if the Japanese were permitted to establish bases in French Indo-China.

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Chances are that the Chinese will not be sending to his government any information which might be injurious to Canada if it should fall into the hands of German authorities in France. If there was any possibility of that happening it would not be permitted by the Canadian government.

"Mr. Ristelhueber is a very honorable man and has given us every reason to believe his sole desire is similar to our own. He is doing everything he can to relieve the situation," said Mr. King.

The question came up during

discussion of external affairs department estimates and was raised by Dr. King Hazen, Conservative, Saint John Albert, N.B., who asked for a statement on the status of the new French minister, who came to Canada shortly before the French capitulation.

"In relations between countries that are difficult and sometimes critical," Mr. King said, "Canada's policy has been to avoid anything that would add to these difficulties."

There had been "certain severances" of relations between the United Kingdom and France, but not complete severance. French consuls-general were still functioning normally in Great Britain, and the Empire.

"Our policy has been to permit the French minister to remain in the country for the present," Mr. King said. "He understands the situation is a delicate one, and he is here to assist, not to do anything that will embarrass us."

"The situation is well known in the United Kingdom and I think we are meeting their desire in not severing relations with France."

### PURCHASE TAX SOON IN FORCE

LONDON (CP)—Sir Kingsley Wood, Chancellor of the Exchequer, told the

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## Trying to Do His Bit

MUSSOLINI'S FORCES UNDER MARSHAL Rodolfo Graziani are reported to have begun what is being described, for short, as the African War. The objective is complete control of the eastern end of the Mediterranean, the Suez Canal and the Red Sea, with, of course, the gradual expansion of Italian influence.

Il Duce's strength in this sphere is considerably greater than that which Britain can command for the time being; but, while military experts apparently will not be surprised if Graziani scores a few initial successes, it is confidently predicted that British naval control of the Libyan coastline will prevent the movement of supplies from Italy unless and until Italian warships can clear the way by destroying the ships flying the white ensign. It is also pointed out that Britain's most powerful defences against the enemy in the Libyan desert are thirst and heat. For 400 miles between the Italian positions and the British base at Mersa Matruh, on the Mediterranean coast, temperatures of 115 to 120 degrees are the rule and not the exception in the daytime. And Mussolini's commander must perform transport all his water over dusty trails almost devoid of cover and, incidentally, subject to constant attack from the Royal Air Force and some of the Empire's most famous regiments that for years have been trained in desert warfare—old style and in the latest mechanized tactics.

Although there is support for the general belief that every shot fired by the Italians in this theatre of war may bring the collapse of Mussolini's African empire that much closer, a contention based on the argument that the British navy will prevent further Italian aid from reaching Graziani, it would be well to contemplate this first real stroke by Italy as one to meet with all available resources. Il Duce must know by this time that he will have to produce substantial results if he is to retain the good favor of his dominant partner to the axis.

But Italian soldiery this time will not be fighting the bow-and-arrow defenders of Ethiopia; Mussolini's son will probably discover the difference if he tries bombing British mobile forces. It was "great fun" for him to "pot" defenceless natives in the war against Abyssinia. The nature of Italy's threat in the Near East, however, may soon be revealed. And Turkey will be on the watch on her own account.

**Gayda to Hull**  
YESTERDAY IN WASHINGTON MR. Cordell Hull, United States Secretary of State, issued a statement on present world conditions which included the following:

"The vast forces of lawlessness, conquest and destruction are still moving across the earth like a savage and dangerous animal at large. By their very nature, those forces will not stop unless and until they recognize that there exists unbreakable resistance. The one and only sure way for our nation to avoid being drawn into serious trouble or actual war is for our people to become thoroughly conscious of the possibilities of danger to make up their minds that we must continue to arm and arm to such an extent that the forces of conquest and ruin will not dare make an attack on us or on any part of this hemisphere."

While Mr. Hull has given voice to similar sentiments on other occasions—so has Mr. Roosevelt—United States policy has undergone a radical change in recent weeks. The real menace to the republic is much better understood than it was before the Nazi hordes began their drive across the Low Countries three months ago. It is now fully realized that the totalitarian appetite knows no bounds, that Britain in her island fortress, with her fleet intact, is the one irritating obstacle to more widespread bids for Nazi-Fascist domination. Nor did it take long for Virginio Gayda, Signor Mussolini's journalistic mouthpiece, to rise to Mr. Hull's warning with a typical authoritarian rejoinder. Says this editor in *Il Giornale d'Italia* today:

"It is evident that Hull would like to alarm the American nations with a feeling that a transfer of the war to the American continent by the victorious axis powers is more or less imminent. It is now well to point out once more that this information is absolutely unfounded, arbitrary and—let it be said for the eminent American's statement contentious rather than provocative."

The Fascist editor's retort will be noted by Mr. Hull for what it is worth. In the meantime he will adhere to the view that the American people must "arm to such an extent that the forces of conquest and ruin will not dare to make an attack on us or on any part of this hemisphere." And "the victorious axis powers" still have to dispose of a little unfinished business on the other side of the Atlantic before they begin to put into operation the plans which Hitler long ago laid for dealing with the Americas. The Rooseveltian policy of "full speed ahead" with rearmament, together with an awakened consciousness, moreover, will weaken the "boiling from within" process on which, the Nazi chief had banked for effective work.

Both Gayda and Goebbels, of course, have overplayed their hands. They may be able to produce some material for home consumption that will maintain morale. But Mr. Hull is a realist and difficult to fool.

Scientists explode superstition that wars have an effect on rains. They do, however, have an effect on reigns.

The first law that ever God gave to man was a law of obedience—Montaigne.

## Censorship

ONE THING CANADIANS WOULD DO well to remember as they consider the mechanics of censorship is that whatever history's final verdict on the causes of the collapse of France may be, and there were many, it will be shown without the shadow of a doubt that suppression of the truth was very largely responsible for a terrible national calamity. The French people were consistently fed on a diet of credulity, complacency, and imbecile optimism, with the result that they were unprepared for the worst when it began to happen; their morale crumbled easily. The Manchester Guardian's former Paris correspondent described the censorship at the time as, not only suppressing unpleasant truths but also encouraging "pleasant falsehoods." He pointed out, for instance, that rigid regulations forbade any mention of the serious sugar shortage in Paris—yet every Parisian knew it existed. Articles suggesting that Italy and Spain might part company with Germany, on the other hand, were almost eagerly passed so that their full effect might be exercised on the spirits of the people. But suggestions to the contrary were heavily blue-pencilled.

In other words, a stupid and clumsy censor created a pleasant fog of self-deception in France, thus, when military disaster came, most people were so stunned that they could scarcely believe it, let alone cope with it.

Fortunately, Great Britain has not made the same mistake so far, and there is no indication she will. From the Prime Minister down, British leaders of public thought and radio commentators have been calling a spade a spade—preparing the people for the worst with even some substantial notes of calamity-hawking. Many influential newspapers, too, have used the plainest of language to remind the government of its shortcomings in the matter of vital defence preparations. But all this has had its good effect. The British people loathe and abominate any attempt to "draw the long bow." It is not their style; they demand the truth, no matter how unpleasant it may be, because they cling to the fundamental belief that if they know exactly what they are up against they can prepare themselves accordingly.

The soundness of this argument is borne out by much proof that not only are the British people more confident than they have been at any time since the war began but are also eager to demonstrate it in practical fashion. Yet even with the knowledge that Hitler seems undecided as to how or when to launch his Blitzkrieg, with the knowledge, too, that the Royal Air Force has been playing high links over Germany, Mr. Churchill reminded the populace last Saturday that they still must be ready for the worst.

It should be so in Canada. We are a people accustomed to knowing the truth. Any attempts to suppress it must produce bad effects. The only way to obtain complete co-operation from the Canadian people is for the government at Ottawa to take them into its confidence in all matters which directly or indirectly involve the nation's war effort. Not that they expect the ministers in charge of vital departments to tell the public everything they are doing or everything they know. Canadians have as much common sense as other folk. But if there is one thing to which they have a deep-rooted objection, it is spoon-feeding on a pap of complacency and wishful optimism. They will thrive, however, on a diet of the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

BUT IF we don't accept this theory, if we assume that we are grown up and fit to govern ourselves, then we have got to have the facts before us at all times. The fate of France illustrated what happens when a democracy does not get the facts. There a censored press kept the truth from the people and when Germany struck they were fatally unprepared. They didn't know what was happening in the world or in their own country.

## Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

### STRANGE CREATURE

MR. HOODE OF MONTREAL IS of no importance. He represents no considered opinion because he has none. He is one of those strange human creatures who never know where they are going and usually are going backwards with a sign pointing towards. I have known him for a long time and found him amusing, grotesque, rather delightful and without any settled ideas about anything. A friendly and dangerous man.

But the questions raised by Mr. Houde in his brush with the authorities are important.

I don't mean his attempt to flout the Defence Regulations of Canada, for the law has dealt with that. The larger question, beyond the law, is that of censorship.

The censors of Canada, whom I also know as able and patriotic men—none better—tried to stop the publication of Mr. Houde's statement opposing the registration of Canadian manpower. This has produced precisely the result which you would expect, precisely the result which the censors sought to avoid. It has given Mr. Houde's latest outburst more publicity and more attention than he could have purchased with \$1,000,000 worth of advertising.

I suppose that doesn't matter much either. But if the censors start there, where will they finish? They may start to censor the mayor of Victoria, or the City Council, or me; and while something could be said for censoring me, nothing can be said for censoring any elected man in a responsible public position.

### NO MIND

THE WHOLE THEORY of it is wrong. The theory is that Canada is too weak to withstand the blandishments of a man like Mr. Houde. The theory is that if his official statements are published in the newspapers, a weak-minded Canada will believe them. The theory is that public morale and support for the war can be undermined by a third-rate practitioner of municipal politics in Montreal. The theory is that Canada has no mind of its own.

If this theory is correct, there is no hope for us anyway. If Canada can be led or influenced by Mr. Houde, we ought to stop fighting the war now. We ought to surrender to Germany and set up some able and experienced German demagogues. We ought to admit that we are fit to think for ourselves or to govern ourselves.

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### BABY

MR. HOODE and the few men with him represent a certain fact in Canada. We cannot afford to ignore it. We do not need to exaggerate it and we do not need to be afraid of it, but we can't overlook it; for if we overlook it (on the instructions of the censors) then we shall begin to overlook much more important facts. Next time we shall not be permitted to read the speeches of the Conservative Party or the C.C.F. because they do not fit in with the policy of the government. Already some eminent senators do not want us to see what the American press is saying about the war.

It is like the old Dickensian story of the nursemaid who excused the unexpected baby on the ground that it was such a little one. The trouble with these babies is that they grow up to be big ones.

By all means enforce the law, and put into jail those who refuse to obey it. But if you refuse to let the people know why you are doing it, if you try to stop the newspapers publishing the statements of responsible public men, then you are opening the gates to incalculable evils. You are imitating the methods of the enemy, which we are fighting to destroy. You are helping the baby to grow up.

### ACHILLES' HEEL

I KNOW VERY WELL what the censors have in mind, and it is no small thing. They have in mind, of course, the minority in Quebec who are not enthusiastic about the war, the people who voted for Duplessis. This is a grave problem in Canada, an Achilles' heel, but it won't be cured by trying to suppress the statements of wild men who happen for the moment to be in public office.

On the contrary, it will be aggravated if it is driven underground, if the prophets of this cult can say that they are the victims of an organized conspiracy. If they can say that speech is dead in Canada, that we have taken on the ways of the dictators. Let the sunlight in and the germs will perish. Keep it out and you will get a rank and strangling growth of rumor, intrigue and treason.

### GEMS OF THOUGHT—THE BIBLE

"The Bible is the only source of all Christian truth; the only rule for the Christian life; the only book that unfolds to us the realities of eternity."—Sir Matthew Hale.

"I know the Bible is inspired because it finds me at greater depths of my being than any other book."—Coleridge.

"The Bible is the learned man's masterpiece, the ignorant man's dictionary, the wise man's directory."—Mary Baker Eddy.

"Nobody ever outgrows Scripture; the book widens and deepens with our years."—Spurgeon.

"The whole hope of human progress is suspended on the ever-growing influence of the Bible."—William H. Seward.

## What Censors Suppressed

(Following is the editorial which appeared on the front page of the early edition of Saturday's Montreal Gazette, but was later withdrawn by order of the press censor at Ottawa. Saturday morning, debate in the House of Commons made public property of the news, and the mayor's statement appeared in afternoon papers throughout Canada. The Gazette then was enabled to reproduce the original denunciation of the Houde stand.)

His full awareness of all this action implies.

There was nothing hasty in his declaration. It followed full discussion with the executive committee of Honore Parent's laudable co-operation with the government in the matter of registration offices, and it was dictated to the press after his stand against Parent had been approved by his executive henmen, with John Kerry alone dissenting: it was, in short, a deliberate challenge to the government of Canada.

The people will demand this challenge be accepted. For 13 years this man Houde has been a storm centre of disunity in this city and province. He has stooped to every device of political opportunism. He has fulfilled that classic definition of a demagogue, "one who obtains money from the rich and votes

from the poor by promising to protect each from the other."

His ward heelers have grown fat at the municipal trough while his administration dragged the greatest city of Canada into bankruptcy. To maintain the notoriety which to him is the breath of life, he has slandered his own people by asserting they would side with Italy in an Ital-

British war, a statement then called and now proved a lie—though Houde himself, it may be noted, still holds his title of Commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy. In his vain bid for federal honors in St. Henry, he used every means to trap the government into commitments likely to cripple it in time of national emergency.

Since May he has been in eclipse. With Canada's metropolis in default, Quebec was forced to step in and let Potvin and Parent do what they could to clean up the mess. Houde, along with his trained-seal executive and his patronage-hungry council, was reduced to impotence.

This is his last bid for power. The disgruntled demagogue, branded a failure by municipal bankruptcy, shorn of the patronage on which his political empire feeds, turns as a last resort to the methods of rebellion, in the hope of rallying the discontented to his standard and once again achieving a voice in the councils of the nation. He must be stopped.

It may be objected that to turn Houde would play into his hands, by making him the martyr he pretends to be. That is precisely what Houde expects the government to think. This dweller in a luxuriant suite, this lover of good living would not invite interment if he had any serious fear of incurring the penalty of his impudence. He

## SPENCER FOODS

THURSDAY VALUES

Picnics	Smoked shoulders, tenderized, lb.	17c	Silverleaf Lard, Per lb.	7c
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Cottage Cheese, Per lb.	10c	Cottage Rolls, Per lb.	27c
Jellied Veal, Sliced, lb.	15c	Potato Salad, First grade, 3 lbs.	82c

Chateau Cheese, 1/2 lbs., each	15c	Butter, Springfield, Ayrshire, sliced, 1/2 lb.	10c	Ham, 1/2 lb.	15c
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MEATS AS CUT IN CASE—CASH AND CARRY					
Steaks—Shoulder Round T-bone Sirloin	14c	Blade Cross Rib	14c	Veal Chops	23c
Roasted Rib	22c	Rolled Rib	16c	Pork Chops	23c
T-bone	27c	Mutton	9c	Boiling Beef	9c
Sirloin	28c	Veal	17c	Oxford Sausage	10c
Pork	19c	Lamb	23c	Minced Beef	12c
				Stew Beef	14c

SERVICE MEATS—DELIVERED					
Phone Service From 8 a.m.	Minced Round Steak, lb.	23c	Spring Lamb Legs, lb.	32c	Beef Liver, Per lb.

Steaks—Round, T-bone, Sirloin, Centre Cut Shanks, lb.	29c	Centre Cut Shanks, lb.	32c	Plate Beef, lb.	35c
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expects the government to threaten him, thereby providing scope for a martyred pose, and then to let him alone.

The law is there. Let the federal authorities execute it.

FROM THE AUTHOR OF THE NEW BOOK "THE WONDER RACE"

To the Editor:—May I express my heart-felt agreement with your editorial comments on the curious reactions of the Ottawa government in the matter of Mayor Houde. It is unnecessary to add anything to your own just criticisms, but

## Cut Few From Relief Rolls

Victoria will feel no great hardship from the federal government's relief ruling which cuts military-acceptable single men under 50 and married men under 40 off the relief rolls this month.

Less than 40 cases would be affected, officials of the city welfare office reported today.

When announcement of the federal government's intentions was made the office warned all those falling within the involved categories. Since then the increased industrial and business activity around the city has resulted in absorption of many who might otherwise have been cut off.

The city's problem is not so much the number of relatively young, physically-fit men on the relief lists; but those in advancing years and included in the classification listed by the higher authorities as "unemployables."

### STAFF REDUCED

With naturally reduced relief lists assured for the month of August, speculation arose in the city welfare office over the similar trend in staff reduction, following instructions for reorganization in the department issued recently by the mayor.

Last week Frank Smedley left the office to seek activity in war service. His withdrawal raised to five the number of men who have left since hostilities started. Earlier in the year S. T. Sehl, Stanley James and Lawrence Wigley, a truck driver, joined the forces. W. R. Elford, former truck driver, was transferred to the pound department in another war move.

Official action on the reorganization program is not expected for some weeks yet. With the possibility of another two men leaving the office for war service, there may be little scope for staff reduction when the report is submitted.

### GARDENERS MEET

Members of the Victoria Horticultural Society held their August meeting in the Council Chamber of the City Hall last evening. W. H. Warren, president, in the chair.

Dr. Wm. Newton, director of the Dominion government laboratory at Saanichton was the guest speaker, his subject being "recent researches in relation to agriculture." The full report of Dr. Newton's speech will be published in the farm and garden page of Saturday's Times.

Mrs. H. Marshall won the competition for sweet peas with some magnificent blooms from her garden on Earle Street.

Members discussed preliminary plans for the chrysanthemum shows in October and November. H. O. Simpson is receiving nominations for the Whiteoak Memorial Award.

### \$10,000 Raised In Island Air Drive

DUNCAN (CP)—The Cowichan Air Supremacy committee voted to use a \$2,000 surplus to add an ambulance to the training plane already presented to the government, as it closed its drive Monday night.

The drive brought \$10,000, raised in slightly more than three weeks. The plane, "Cowichan Thunderbird," is in use at the Vancouver Air Training School.

Nearby Youbou, and camps three and six at Cowichan Lake have also donated a trainer, and Chemainus, close by, has given three ambulances.

Population of the district, which has thus donated two training planes and four ambulances, is not more than 10,000.

### GET HOSPITAL

VANCOUVER (CP) — Directors and principals of Seaboard Lumber Sales Company here have donated \$12,500 for construction of a hospital at the Prince of Wales Fairbridge Farm School at Cowichan, B.C., officials of the school announced today.

In addition, the 32 officials of the firm will each contribute to the support of a British child in the province for the duration of the war, and for whom they will serve as "godfathers."

Object of the gift is to enable the school to care for a large number of British children.

### Ladysmith Miner Dies

NANAIMO — James Nimmo Ferguson, 64, a native of Scotland and old-time resident of Ladysmith, died in the General Hospital here yesterday. He was a retired coal miner, having worked in Nanaimo and district mines up to 10 years ago. He was a member of St. John Lodge No. 21, I.O.O.F.

Surviving relatives are his wife, four sons, John, Vancouver, George, Alexander and Walter, Ladysmith, and one daughter, Matilda, Nanaimo. Funeral services will be conducted at the family residence, Ladysmith, Friday.

# SPENCER'S HOME FURNISHINGS

## SPECIAL VALUES THURSDAY

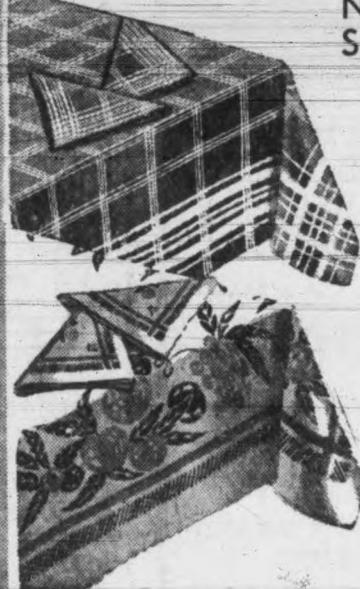
*August Sale*

### BUY YOUR HOME FURNISHINGS ON OUR TIME PAYMENT PLAN

Available for all purchases of furniture and furnishings made during our August Sale. A down payment can be made at the time of purchase, the balance being spread over a period of months to be paid out of income.

### Noteworthy August Sale Values From Our

## LINEN SECTION



PRINTED RAYON CLOTHES in very attractive patterns on cream ground. Size 50x50 inches. Each

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PRINTED RAYON CLOTHES with patterns on ivory ground and fancy check borders. Size 50x50 inches. Each

75c

BREAKFAST CLOTHES with striped colored borders. Size 50x50 inches. Each

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DINNER CLOTHES — All-white cotton damask. Very practical for general use. Size 68x88 inches. Each

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OYSTER LINEN BREAKFAST CLOTHES — Slightly substandard but excellent wearing quality. Size 52x52 inches. Each

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### Luncheon Cloths

of rayon damask in very attractive soft colors—peach, Nile, gold and ivory.

Cloth, 50x50 inches, \$1.85

and 6 napkins. A set, \$2.25

### DINING CLOTHES

of pure linen damask. A wide selection at special prices.

70x70 inches, \$4.25 to \$10.50

70x90 inches, \$4.95 to \$12.50

70x108 inches, \$8.50 to \$15.00

NAPKINS TO MATCH, doz., \$3.00 to

\$12.95

—Linens, Main Floor

## Axminster Mats

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### At Special Low Prices

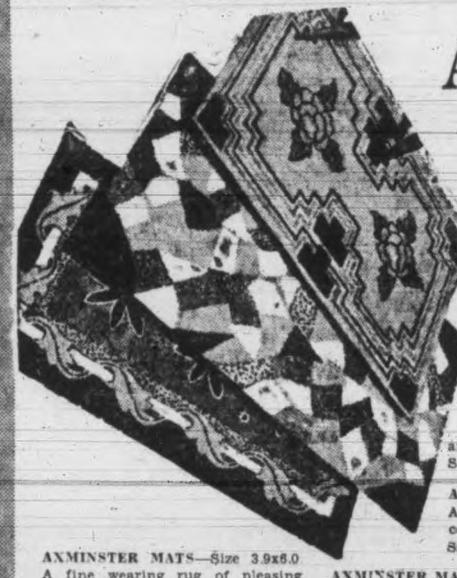
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—Carpets, Second Floor



## AUGUST SALE OF Bedding

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INDIAN BLANKETS Patterned with typical Indian designs. Soft finish and practical size. Each

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COTTON BEDTHROWS in pastel colorings and satin bound.

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HEMSTITCHED SHEETS of medium weight bleached cotton. Extra large size, 80x108 inches.

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HEMSTITCHED PILLOW CASES — Good grade cotton slips, well made and smartly finished with hemstitchings. Specially priced, a pair

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—Staples, Main Floor

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## Weddings

PORTER—THOMPSON

VANCOUVER—An interesting wedding took place Monday evening in St. Mark's Church when Yvonne Ena, elder daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thompson, became the bride of a Victoria man, Chief Petty Officer Gerald Orr Porter, R.C.N.R., of the Pacific Patrol, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Porter.

Rev. J. M. Crisall of Port Hope, Ont., read the service, at which the bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. George Mather, and attended by her sister, Miss Joan Thomson. Mr. Arthur Holt was Mr. Porter's best man and the ushers were Messrs. Jack Crompton and Jack Arnold.

Heaven blue was the attractive shade which the pretty fair-haired bride wore in sweetheart style, clasped at the throat with an heirloom cameo worn by her maternal grandmother at her wedding. She carried an ivory prayer book. Pink was the shade of her sister's colonial frock with a poke bonnet and bouquet of blending tones.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's stepmother, Mrs. W. D. Thomson. The hostess received in a smart ensemble of marina blue and the groom's

mother chose an air force blue ensemble with gardenias.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter are honeymooning in Victoria, where they will make their home.

JONES—CLARE

At St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt, on Monday evening at 5.30, Capt. the Rev. Alan Gardiner united in marriage Winnifred, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Clare, Captain Street, and Kenneth Jones, R.C.N.R., of New Westminster. Pink gladioli and gypsophila were arranged on the altar and in the chancel.

Given in marriage by her mother, in the absence of her father on active service, the bride wore a smart navy blue suit with white accents and a white hat and accessories, her corsage bouquet being of pink roses and swansons. Miss Margaret Harper was her only attendant, in a pretty frock of pink sheer with white hat trimmed with pink and a corsage bouquet of carnations and violas. Mr. Wilbur McGee was the groomsmen.

A small reception, a small refection for relatives and intimate friends was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mrs. Clare receiving the guests in a navy sheer redingote over pink, with a navy straw hat trimmed with white and a corsage bouquet of carnations and maiden hair fern. The many useful gifts were concealed in a basket beautifully decorated in pink and white. Games and music were enjoyed during the evening. A buffet supper was served later.

The invited guests included: Mesdames E. M. McTaggart, F. Humphrey, W. Webb, and Tipper, Misses Marjorie and Doris McTaggart, Peggy, Hilda, and Gladys Webb, Gladys McIntosh, Peggy Dykes, Evelyn and Beryl Humphrey.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. Youd, who were married last month, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shearing, Cobble Hill, entertained at their home on Sunday afternoon. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Shearing were Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Bomford and Mrs. Woods. The guests assembled in the drawing-room, which was a profusion of flowers, and little Helen Shearing drew the gifts in on a prettily-decorated wagon. Mrs. Morgan presented the gifts to the happy couple. After the presentation tea was served from a table covered with a beautiful lace cloth and centred with a wedding cake. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. Gardiner, Mr. and Mrs. H. Shearing, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bomford, Mrs. W. Gibbs, Kitty Miller, Elsie Youd, Leola Williams, Victoria Gardner, Gordon Pell, K. Bomford, G. Langdon and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Bomford, who were married with Mr. and Mrs. Youd and who had just returned from a honeymoon spent at Banff and Calgary.

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Mr. Ralts gave his daughter in marriage. She was attractive in an afternoon frock of hyacinth blue crepe, trimmed with eyelet embroidery and a small hat and veil to match, while her corsage bouquet was of white heather and rosebuds.

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The sewing class of Court Maple Leaf has been postponed from Thursday afternoon owing to the beach party which will be held in the evening at Clover Point. Hot dogs and coffee will be served, those attending to bring own cups.

Articles donated include such treasures as Sevres vases and medallions, old and valuable lustre silver, Sheffield plate, Georgian silver, pewter bowl given by the Highland MacPhersons to Prince Charlie, and an old Holborn policeman's rattle. In addition to these there is silver and plate, glassware, jewelry, books and a hundred other uses.

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Dr. Anna Reaveley Glover, one of Britain's most famous women doctors, is shown in the uniform of the British Royal Army Medical Corps. It was announced in London that Dr. Glover has been promoted to deputy assistant director of medical services for the eastern command of the auxiliary training service. She is the first woman doctor to be given a senior army position.

## Opens 'Y' House

PEMBROKE, Ont.—Her Royal Highness Princess Alice officially opened the National Council Y.W.C.A. Hostess House at Pembroke, Ont., at noon yesterday. The Princess Alice is a patroness of the Y.W.C.A. and has expressed interest in the Hostess House branch of the Y.W.C.A.'s war service committee work:

Opening of the Y.W.C.A. Hostess House coincides with an inspection of troops at Camp Petawawa by Canada's Governor-General, the Earl of Athlone. Y.W.C.A. officials were delighted when Her Royal Highness, who traveled from Ottawa with the Governor-General, graciously accepted an invitation to formally open the Pembroke Hostess House, one of a chain of such centres now in operation across the Dominion from Vancouver to Halifax. Plans for more houses are under way in response to the request of the department of auxiliary services to the Canadian forces that the Y.W.C.A. assume responsibility for such centres close to all large army and air training bases.

### EACH COST \$1,000

The immediate drive is for six of the kitchens, to be made in the United States. In the meantime, money is being cabled to Britain to be used for rebuilding automobile trailers for emergency use until the American-made products are available. Each kitchen costs \$1,000.

### FOR RELATIVES

The new house at Pembroke, which provides accommodation and assistance to visiting wives and relatives of soldiers stationed at Camp Petawawa, some seven miles distant, has been made possible through the generosity of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Keith of Ottawa. Mrs. Keith is a summer resident of Pembroke, is a former Y.W.C.A. secretary and a Canadian member of the Y.W.C.A. World Council, and has organized an active women's committee, who have been responsible for preparing the house for visitors.

Large living room, dining room and lounge provide ample space for soldiers and relatives to have a quiet visit. Rooms for transient visitors are located on the second and third floors. The house, formerly one of the very fine Pembroke residences, is situated at 432 Pembroke Street West.

The house committee has also undertaken to locate and register rooms for visiting relatives who are unfamiliar with the city. During the first seven days of the house's operation 30 rooms were required. First visitor to stay overnight at Hostess House was a young mother and her seven months' old baby, who had traveled many miles to visit her soldier husband at Camp Petawawa.



Photos by Campbell.

Left, Mr. Elmer A. Campbell, R.C.C.S., and his bride, the former Marion Beatrix Kerr, who were married recently; and, right, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Wright, the former Audrey Fanthorpe, who were quietly wed at the Metropolitan Church manse.

## Mobile Kitchens to Help Britain New U.S. Drive

By R. J. ANDERSON  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK (CP)—"British wants mobile kitchens."

So the drive in the United States to help beleaguered Britain has turned from ambulances to a campaign to raise funds to purchase kitchens on wheels. Rolling kitchens are said to be needed immediately to help solve the problem of mass feeding of the civilian population after air raids.

Harkening to the call of Louisa Farrand, director of women's activities for the British War Relief Society Inc., the many United States social agencies now busily engaged in aiding war sufferers are concentrating on a drive to purchase six of the mobile kitchens. Miss Farrand said these are Britain's greatest immediate need.

"Ambulance needs have been filled for the moment," she said. "It is now mobile kitchens that England has been cabling to beg America to dispatch with all haste. The lack now is not food but facilities to dispense food promptly and with greatest efficiency to places of greatest need."

Every week, some new method is devised by enthusiastic Americans for helping Great Britain win the war. Auction sales are held to raise money for relief funds. Thousands of women, knit clothes and socks for soldiers and refugees, collect for ambulances and now to purchase mobile kitchens.

The newest wrinkle was started by the New York Herald-Tribune, which inserts a coupon on its page dealing with kitchen and food items. The coupon calls for donors to fill it out with their names and addresses, enclose 10 cents and post it to the newspaper, which then sends to the donor a menu and recipe for a real "English dinner." The money collected goes to help buy a rolling kitchen.

Her bridesmaid was Miss Glenna Avery of Toronto, who wore turquoise blue crepe with a natural baku straw hat, and pink roses in corsage. Small Gail Adair Edwards, the flower girl, was frocked in white and carried a bouquet of white heather. Mr. Leonard Turpaul supported the groom.

Immediate friends were entertained at the small reception which followed. Mrs. Sturrock, the bride's mother, assisted Mrs. Odium in receiving. Her gown of beige crepe was complemented by a black hat, while Mrs. Odium wore grey crepe with blue accessories.

### CHIPPING—MILTON

The marriage was quietly solemnized at Christ Church Cathedral, Vancouver, on Monday evening by Rev. W. Vance of William Allen Chipping, son of Mr. W. R. Chipping of Milner, B.C., to Miss Mary Ruth (Molle) Milton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Milton, Victoria. The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was attended by Mrs. C. Webb. Mr. Bradney Hall was the best man. Only immediate relatives and close personal friends witnessed the ceremony.

The W.A. to the P.P.C.L.I. will display British wares of special interest. William Bell, a butler at the Decorators' Shop, donated a copy of "The Sun of London" reporting the coronation of Queen Victoria. Printed June 28, 1928, the paper will be sold at auction later, the proceeds to go to war relief. It is valued at \$200.

Another item on view at the British Day function was a bottle of "The King's Ale," brewed especially for English kings. This particular bottle was auctioned during the first Great War for \$20 guineas (now \$244) in London.

An ambulance named after Charles Dickens has been bought by Mrs. May Lamberton Becker, children's editor of the Herald Tribune's Sunday book section. When Mrs. Becker heard that the Dionne quintuplets were donating money for an ambulance she promptly donated \$1,350, her advance royalties on a forthcoming

## ARMY DISCIPLINE

may not be quite what it was in 1914—but proper discipline freed from the restrictions of "Red Tape" is still recognized as indispensable in any unit, whether of the Navy, the Army or the Air.

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## Clubwomen's News

Central W.C.T.U. has canceled its annual picnic meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 at the Gorge Park.

Three Services W.A. will hold a meeting in the canteen, Broad Street, on Friday morning at 11. All interested, especially voluntary canteen workers, will be welcome.

The monthly meeting of the committee of the Aged Women's Home was held yesterday afternoon, Mrs. W. L. Clay, the president, occupying the chair, and eight members of the committee being present. The regular routine business was attended to and all accounts for the month ordered paid. Committee for the month will be Mrs. W. Grant, convener; Mrs. E. Heddle, and Mrs. G. A. Lister. The new addition to the home is progressing very favorably owing to the fine weather, and the committee are hoping that it will soon be finished.

A meeting of the Victoria Red Shield Women's Auxiliary will be held at 7.30 tonight in the Salmon River Inn. The Qu-Alex Girls' Club will also meet tonight at the summer home of Mrs. K. Hole, Prospect Lake. Members are reminded that a court whist and bridge party is being held after the next meeting of the review.

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**Saanich School Board****Industrial Arts Classes Extended**

Changes in the setup of industrial arts centres for Saanich schools were effected by the Saanich School Board last night following an interview with the teachers who will preside over these classes.

Principal difference from the former arrangement was the extending of the industrial arts classes to Grades 8 to 12 instead of taking in only Grades 7 and 8 as was formerly the case.

After discussing the arrangement of the various centres with Thomas Quayle, boys' instructor, and Miss D. de Jong, girls' instructor, the board decided to eliminate the three inner ward centres where it was formerly intended to have both boys and girls attend.

Instead the Tolmie School will be used as a boys' centre for woodwork, metal work and drafting and Mount View High School will be the girls' centre for sewing classes. The centre for the outer district will remain at Mount Newton High School, where both boys and girls will attend.

The works and grounds committee reported completion of the painting contracts at Mount View High, Strawberry Vale and West Saanich schools.

**Catholic Youth At Convention**

Members of the Catholic Youth organization from all parts of Vancouver Island went to Nanaimo Sunday for a most successful diocesan convention, attended mass in a body, heard a message of encouragement and good cheer from the Lieutenant-Governor and elected their officers for the coming year.

Proceedings started at 10 in the morning, with solemn high mass at St. Peter's Church, at which Rt. Rev. Msgr. A. G. Baker was celebrated. Father Bernard Quinn gave the sermon.

J. W. Bellis of Victoria, diocesan president, welcomed the delegates in St. Ann's Hall, after which the party went to Newcastle Island for lunch and a sports program, under Steve McCarthy.

Miss Olive Anderton of Courtenay was elected president of the Diocesan Council. Steve McCarthy, Nanaimo, was named vice-president, and Fred Allen, Esquimalt, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Before leaving for their homes, the delegates attended solemn benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Peter's.

**MAYOR'S WELCOME**

Mayor Victor B. Harrison of Nanaimo, in a brief speech, welcomed the delegates. Other speakers were: Father L. McLeish, Father McGuire, for Archbishop Duke of Vancouver; James Cody of Vancouver; Major L. Bullock Webster and Fred Allen. Messages of greeting were read from Victoria-diocesan council of the Catholic Women's League, Bishop Johnson of Nelson, Archbishop Duke, Bishop Gerald Murray of Saskatoon and Archbishop MacDonald of Edmonton. Bernard Nelson and Father R. J. Monahan offered musical selections.

Following is the message read from the Lieutenant-Governor:

"I am sure that we all realize to the full the peril and dangers that beset our Empire at the present time, and how very necessary and vital it is that every man and woman, old or young, do everything and make every sacrifice in his or her power in the effort to free the Empire from the evil thing that threatens its very existence. I am equally sure that you—who are representative of the youth of the whole nation—realize that upon the faith and efforts of the young men and women of the Empire depends, to so large an extent, the future safety and security of our homes and country."

**MILWAUKEE VISITORS**

Yesterday 33 members of the Catholic Youth Organization from Milwaukee, accompanied by four priests, arrived in Victoria on a brief visit. They went sightseeing, and the four priests: Father Paul Tanner, head of the party, and Fathers F. J. McGarry, R. J. Altstadt and C. Cavolz, called at the Bishop's House and were welcomed by Msgr. Baker in the absence of Bishop Cody.

The party arrived on the Seattle boat at 4:30 and returned to Seattle at 5.

Since a newly hatched clothes moth larva can crawl through an opening 41,000 of an inch wide, government entomologists advise sealing cracks in clothes chests with gummed tape.

**Esquimalt Council****Make Lyall Street Arterial Highway**

On recommendation of the Esquimalt Board of Police Commissioners, the municipal council last night decided to make Lyall Street an arterial highway.

An amendment by-law to the traffic regulation by-law for the placing of stop signs on all streets coming into Lyall Street, will be introduced at the next meeting of the council.

The council referred a request from military authorities to place military stop signs for army drivers only, at Peters and Lyall Streets, Gore and Lyall Streets, and Gore and Head Streets, to the chief of police.

**PROPERTY SOLD**

Six different people made offers for four pieces of property in the municipality.

Two lots each received two bids.

H. M. Spence was sold a lot on Old Esquimalt Road for \$260 cash. An offer of \$250 with terms of payment for the same piece of property was received also.

T. A. Chantrey's \$300 offer for a lot and small building at 488 Sturdee Street, was accepted. A second bid of \$300 was made.

Paint that will protect wood from greater fire heat is being sought in forestry experiments.

Lieut. I. Carey was sold a lot on Bewley Avenue and Lamson Street for \$300, and C. J. Mayhew was sold a lot on Beatty Street to be used for access to another piece of property only, for \$50.

**Better English**

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "They have many active members in their line-up."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "bouquet"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Receive, achieve, perceive.

4. What does the word "paragon" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with tu that means "clouded; not clear or translucent"?

**Answers**

1. Say, "They have many active members in their organization." 2. Pronounce boo-kə, oo us in too, a as in cake, accent last syllable. 3. Achieve. 4. A model or pattern; a type of excellence or perfection. "She was a paragon of chaste womanhood." 5. Turbid.

The Japanese beetle, which apparently reached this country prior to 1912 in roots of Japanese plants, has spread to 23 states.

"My home is in England. I intend to go back. I don't understand why I should be persecuted.

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**Gracie, Annoyed, Hits Back****Didn't Take All Assets Out of England**

TORONTO (CP)—Gracie Fields

today said she is "sick and tired of this whole business" of criticism in England of her Canadian tour and the fact that she and her Italian husband took substantial sums of money from England.

Miss Fields arrived in Toronto from Victoria and is scheduled to make a public appearance. Said she: "I don't know why I should be persecuted like this in England. Let the British government look up their files. They will soon find out that I haven't taken everything out of the country."

Miss Fields said husband Monty Banks was an Italian subject but that "he didn't do anything wrong and neither did I." He is now in Hollywood seeking United States citizenship.

"I have been working harder in the past few months than I ever have before and it hasn't been for myself," Miss Fields said.

A treasury spokesman told the House of Commons that Miss Fields had not sought to take more than the regulation \$50 when she went to the United States recently, but last fall she and her Italian husband, Monty Banks, took a total of about \$112,000 out of the country with

them, in addition to other wealth in the form of diamonds.

J. J. Davidson, a Labor member, asked whether the treasury knew that Miss Fields and Banks

"left practically no assets in this country after enjoying its generosity for years."

applies to my husband, is the government's whenever they want it."

"I have turned down several attractive offers to do this work. I don't blame Canada or the Canadian people for this unpleasantry. They have been wonderful to me."

**SUBSTANTIAL SUM LEFT**

LONDON (CP)—An accountant for Gracie Fields, now in Canada, issued a statement today declaring she had "substantial assets" in England.

The Navy League, meantime, reported that Miss Fields had arranged to give her services without a fee at 32 concerts in Canada from Victoria to Halifax in aiding the league to supply comforts to the men of the British Navy.

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**Letters to the Editor****THANKS**

To the Editor:—May I be permitted through the columns of your paper to thank the anonymous writer of the following note, and to express my deep appreciation for the feeling which prompted his generosity in helping the funds of the Navy League of Canada:

"Enclosed \$1 to help in your work. I wish I could send more. Wishing your League every success in your work. A Returned Soldier, Saanichton."

Notes like these and any sum, however small, donated towards the funds of the Navy League, are very much appreciated and received with grateful thanks.

FRANK BAYLIS (Capt.)

Hon. Secretary.

**FROM RED CROSS PRESIDENT**

To the Editor:—Will you please accord me the courtesy of your space to thank very many who contributed their services towards making the Government House garden party on July 31 such a remarkable success.

I find myself unequal to the task of thanking each one of them personally, however, to each and all and to the public in general who patronized the party with such enthusiasm the Red Cross offers its most grateful thanks.

May I also take this opportunity

of extending to you the thanks of the Red Cross Society for all the valuable publicity you have given us.

J. G. AUSTIN,  
Brigadier-General J. G. Austin,  
President, Canadian Red Cross  
Society, Victoria City and District  
Branch

**SUMMER RESORT FIRE**

To the Editor:—Having failed to locate the unknown friend who so kindly came to the assistance of those concerned at the recent fire which destroyed "The Isles," at Shawnigan Lake, will you please convey through the medium of your esteemed column the gratitude and due appreciation he so well deserved?

That the prevailing midsummer breeze handicapped salvage work was inevitable, but this was only one of the regrettable circumstances which contributed towards its total loss.

MARY H. RATHOM.

**66,270,140 Minutes**

HOLDENVILLE, Okla.—A shelf clock 125 years old, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Tom S. Adams, still keeps perfect time. The clock was made in Vaughan, Wales, in 1815 by Anthony Ploss and was brought to this country by Mrs. Adams' grandfather.

The Dames have fought off invaders eight times in the past 1,000 years, yielding once prior to the German drive of 1940.

# Standard's Sale Continues

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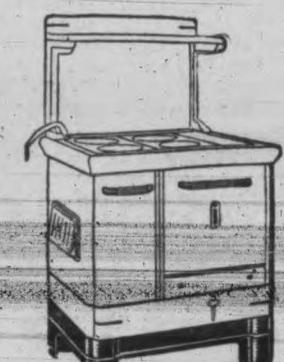
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## New Acts on Books

**Mobilization Law Session Highlight**

Ottawa (CP) — Following are highlights of the first session of Canada's 19th Parliament, which today adjourned till November 5.

Major legislation enacted:

National Resources Mobilization Act, placing all human and material resources at disposal of the government, compulsory service to be only in Canada or on Canadian waters.

Unemployment Insurance Act, embracing more than 2,000,000 workers earning less than \$2,000 a year.

Amendments to the Wheat Act, continuing the 70-cent-a-bushel guarantee for No. 1 northern wheat and imposing 15-cents-a-bushel domestic processing tax.

An act providing death for certain acts of treachery.

Resolution declaring state of war with Italy.

War appropriations bill totaling \$700,000,000.

The budget, providing new and increased taxes expected to bring \$280,100,000 in new revenue and total revenue of \$760,000,000.

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Canada receiving and interning German prisoners and aliens from Britain.

Canada's war program will require between \$150,000,000 and \$250,000,000 this year in addition

to \$700,000,000 already earmarked.

Finance Minister Ralston to Defence; Revenue Minister Tilley to Finance; Trade Minister Euer to Senate; Hon. J. A. MacKinnon to Trade;

Hon. Colin Gibson to Revenue; Postmaster-General Power to Air; Hon. W. P. Mulock to Postmaster-General; Agriculture Minister Gardner to additional post of National War Services; Works Minister Cardin to additional post of Transport, relieving Munitions Minister Howe; Hon. J. A. Macdonald to naval affairs.

**HITLER LEAFLETS MERELY PAPER**

By D. E. BURRITT

LONDON (CP) — German's flying newsboys are continuing daily delivery of a neat tabloid edition containing an unabridged version of Hitler's Reichstag speech—but the circulation is diminishing.

Early today Nazi planes made the customary delivery over a smaller route and added unattractive circulation premiums of incendiary bombs, many of which fell in the Bristol Channel.

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## THESE WOMEN!



"How could I be speeding if you caught me? What's HIS name Seasibiscuit?"

**End German Alliance Radio Hour in U.S.****THE WEATHER**

VICTORIA, 5 a.m. today—Pressure remains high off the Oregon coast while the storm approaching Queen Charlotte Island. Front cold air is causing rain on the north coast. The weather has been fair and quite warm in most other parts of British Columbia and the prairie provinces, though scattered showers are reported in Saskatchewan.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, max. 65 min. 55; wind, 19 miles W. clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.03; temperature, max. 76 min. 55; wind, 10 miles E. clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.85; tem-

perature, max. 69 min. 54; wind, 10 N.W.; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.01; tem-

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Seattle—Barometer, 30.02; tem-

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St. John—Barometer, 30.03; tem-

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Hallifax—Barometer, 30.03; tem-

perature, max. 76 min. 54; wind, 10 N.W.

Craigflower W.J. will meet on Friday afternoon instead of Thursday this week at the home of Mrs. Rankin to do refugee work. Plans for the annual picnic August 11 at Elk Lake will be discussed.

The only warning against the public handling the leaflets indiscriminately came from Cmdr. Oliver Locker-Lampson, who suggested in the House of Commons that the papers were not dangerous from the point of view of contamination by reading "it is proved to be subversive."

The program, broadcast in Germany, carried official notices of the front activities. The announcer last week urged listeners to attend the "keep out of war" meeting on Soldier Field Sunday.

Paul Martin and his Music—KOMO, KPO. News—KOMO, KPO. Family Music—CBR. Jim's Question Bee—KIRO, KVI. CBR. Arnhem's Orchestra—KOL. Charlie Chan—CJOR at 8:45.

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## **Build Army of 1,000 Women**



Under the leadership of Mrs. Mollie Mockler, "Brigadier," who has headed a concert party since last September, girls are training in Hamilton, Ont., to head a Women's Defence Corps, which, they hope, will swell to a membership of 1,000. The women, training as officers, drill two nights a week. (Below) Mrs. Dal Boyd, Jean Middleton and Mollie Entwistle rest after exercise. Physical training (above) is an essential part of their routine.

**THE CLARE AND HER CREW**—The crew of the Clare, first of the Atlantic Airways Limited flying boats to cross the Atlantic this year. The Clare reached Botwood, Montreal and New York the day after leaving England. Left to right: C. E. Rotherham, Capt. E. R. White, Capt. J. C. Kelly-Rogers, who was in charge of the flight, and J. Burgess, radio officer. The Clare is shown in the lower picture.

## **Oldsters Picnic at Beacon Hill**

Sixty oldsters, ages ranging from 60 to 102, members of the Old-age Pensioners' Association of Greater Victoria and inmates of the Aged Men's Home, picnicked under the trees at Beacon Hill Park yesterday afternoon from 2.30 to 6.30. Merchants of the city donated 96 bottles of pop, two gallons of ice cream, 120 paper cups of ice cream, 192 wiener, the same number of buns, two large slab cakes, watermelons, 120 bottles

of beer, 216 chocolate bars, a case of biscuits, peaches, oranges, grapes, loaves of veal, cooked ham and other meat, and 100 cigars and 100 cigarettes to top it off. There was so much food the picnickers couldn't eat it all.

This morning the surplus was sent to the Sunshine Camp and the Aged Men's Home.



In the picture, quenching their thirsts, are (left to right), Robert Steele, 83, born in Glasgow who has 40 years of sea life behind him; James McGill, 77, born in Salem, Mass., who was also a sailor before retiring; W. Ward, 80, born in South Shields, England, who came to Victoria in 1883 on board a sailing ship loaded with gun powder from Glasgow in 165 days; Patrick "Paddy" Morris, 71, a Nanaimo-born sailor; Alex Ford, 70, a laborer before retiring who was born in the north of Ireland, and John Barber, 72, a retired fisherman born in Cockenzie, Firth of Forth.

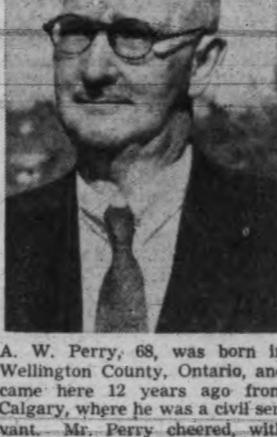
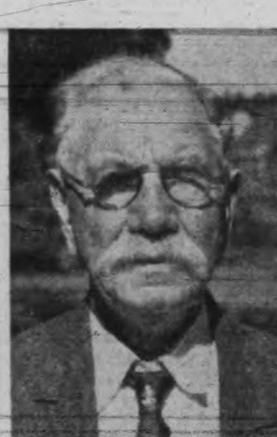


Birthplaces of the picnickers were in all parts of the world. Majority were born in England. Oldest was Ontario-born George Grexton, 102, who lives at 617 Douglas Street, and who walked home from the picnic with a bag of buns before the cameraman got around to him. In the picture (left to right) are: Joe Haig, 82, born in Yorkshire and came to Victoria four years ago from Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, where he was a fireman; D. Woods, 72, born in Hebburn, County Durham, a steel-ship builder who worked many years for Yarrows, and J. Nelson, 70, Liverpool-born, an ex-longshoreman who laughingly remarked he did not mind having his picture taken because the police knew who he was.

Fittest pensioner at the party James W. Pimlott, 70, was a was the dapper secretary of the grocer at Royal Oak for many association, J. S. Campion who years before he retired. He was celebrated his 80th birthday last born in Manchester. Mr. Pimlott Sunday. Born in Northampton, was one of many who had words England, he was a successful of appreciation for Alderman W. auctioneer in the Old Country H. Davies who was in charge of 30 or more years ago at which arrangements of the picnic which time he wore a goatee and looked has been held annually for more older than he did now. In Canada than 20 years.

**URGE**—Brittain Webster, long-foreman, being questioned by investigators for complicity in what Los Angeles District Attorney Buron Fitts describes as a lastwise murder plot instigated by the Communist Party.

**FRENCH ENVOY** — Henri Haye, mayor of Versailles, has been accepted by the United States government as the new French ambassador to Washington.

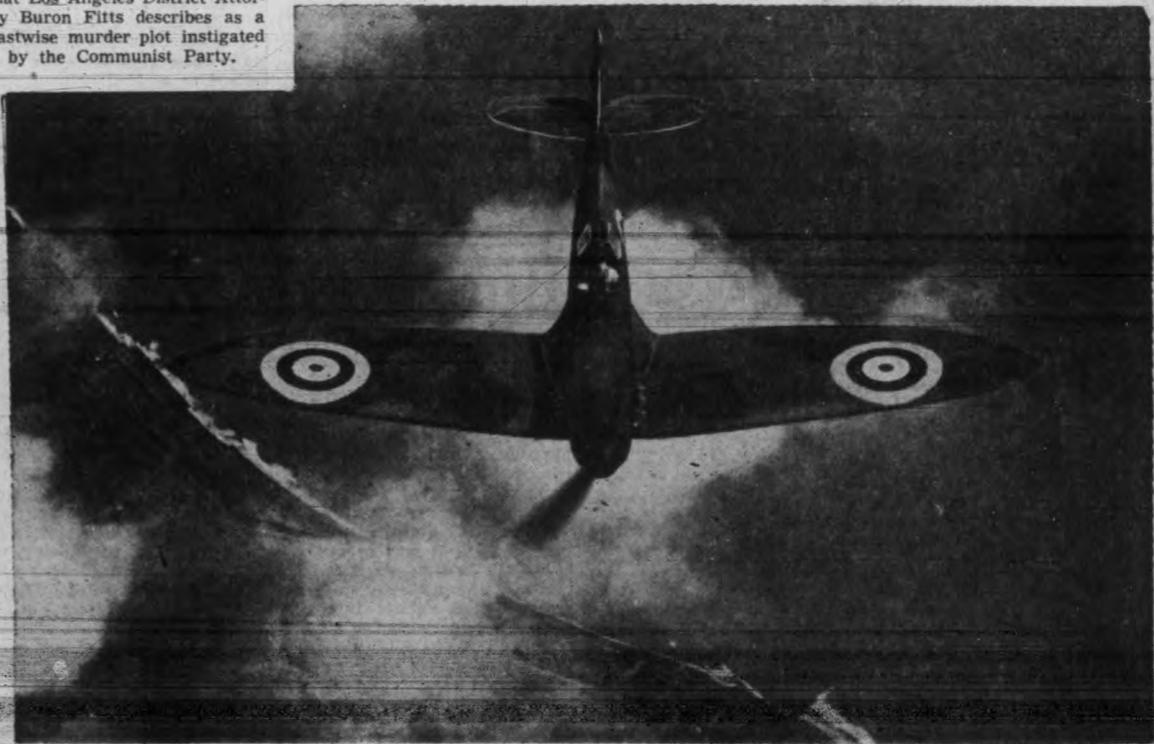


**FREAK PICTURE**—Sometime ago the Victoria Times published a picture of an airplane battery. In the smoke series of visitors recognized the anguished face of a woman. Today Mrs. M. Patullo brought in another "puzzle picture." It is snow on a rose bush and in it can be seen the face of Christ, the Union Jack and airplanes in miniature as if they were seen from a distance flying over

John Ralph, 85, Born in Cornwell,  
worked for the government post-  
ing rock out of the inner harbor  
25 years ago. He worked as a  
rock miner most of his life. He  
was also a laborer for the city.  
The rest of the pioneers, the  
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from 70 to 65 and to increase the  
old-age pension from \$20 a month.

A. W. Perry, 68, was born in Wellington County, Ontario, and came here 12 years ago from Calgary where he was a civil engineer.

Calgary, where he was a civil servant. Mr. Perry cheered, with the rest of the picnickers, the words of Mayor Andrew McGavin, that he believed some action would be taken soon by the government to reduce the qualifying age for pensioners from 70 to 65 and to increase the old-age pension from \$20 a month to \$30.



**SPITFIRES ROUT LUFTWAFFE WAVE** Playing a deadly game of tag, squadrons of these Supermarine Spitfires, among the world's fastest fighting planes, are reported routing wave after wave of German bombers attacking England in what may be the opening



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Arms Plans Dovetailed

Hundreds of Millions More  
For U.S. Weapons for Britain

WASHINGTON (AP) — The British government started negotiations here today for "hundreds of millions of dollars" of tanks, artillery and other supplies in addition to all previous Allies orders.

Arthur B. Purvis, chief British purchasing agent, who presented the program to Treasury Secretary Morgenthau, told reporters his government was now seeking the purchase of many types of supplies not previously purchased in this country. He emphasized tanks and field artillery.

Purvis added the new program he was disclosing was the same one referred to today by Arthur Greenwood in the British House of Commons.

Opening a debate in the House of Commons on Britain's wartime economic policy, he said:

"The need to supplement our own production by drawing on the vast and invulnerable capacity of North America has immensely increased since the fall of France."

"While but a few months ago we were placing orders with American industry to supplement the deficiencies in combined Allied production, we now need to embark on a much more extensive program . . ."

Mr. Greenwood announced the organization of a committee composed of himself as chairman, Neville Chamberlain and Sir Kingsley Wood to direct Britain's economic war policy.

The British agent went on to explain the new program was material to be delivered a considerable time in the future.

**TOWN TOPICS**

Motorists paid \$67.50 in fines in the City Police Court this morning. Nineteen paid \$42.50 in parking fines, two paid \$10 each for speeding and one paid \$5 for failing to stop.

**Members of Britannia Training Corps** will drill tonight at the High School ground. Berets will be worn. New recruits may register with Comrade H. Pearson, but will not participate in the special drill Wednesday and Thursday nights.

**Boxing gloves** are needed for men of the forces, Alderman W. H. Davies reports, and asks that any persons who have them to donate leave them at the office of the Empire Realty Company, 1008 Broad Street, to be handed over to the troops.

**Rev. John Turner**, newly-appointed pastor of Centennial United Church, who succeeds Rev. Dr. A. D. Reid, arrived in Victoria last week. He will be at home to members of the congregation from 2 tomorrow afternoon at the church manse, David Street.

A truckload of coal was dumped in a vacant lot at Fort and Bank Streets yesterday when a coal truck, driven by Timothy F. Hodson, Cadboro Bay Road, turned over. Mr. Hodson told city police he was swerving to avoid a car driven by Leah Edward, 1715 Davis Street, when the car stalled in the intersection.

**Miss R. Dudman**, 82 Burns Road, suffered a severe knee bruise in an accident last night when a motorcycle and car collided at Douglas and Herald Streets. She was a passenger on a motorcycle driven by Melvin Glaspell, 1321 George Street. The car was driven by Thomas Boyd, Work Point, a city police report said.

**1,000 More Men For Home Guard**

Enlistments in the veterans' guard in British Columbia will be increased by 1,000 men as part of the internal security program for the province. Attorney-General Wismer announced on his return this morning from a flying trip to Ottawa, where he completed negotiations with federal authorities.

Mr. Wismer had previously advised that an additional 750 men would be used, but this has been raised. There will be four companies of 250 each, he said.

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He indicated previous purchases had been made, to a large extent, on the basis of immediate needs, and the new programs were being shaped on anticipated future needs.

Plans Parallel  
U.S. Preparations

LONDON (AP) — Arthur Greenwood, Labor member of the war cabinet, told Britain today that to win the war she must now carry out a much more extensive program, which must be related to the American national defense preparations.

Our object is to keep down the prices of necessities, and we are spending considerable sums to do it. The policy of anchoring the prices of essential commodities will be continued to insure the unimpair health of the nation."

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He said "the war may be prolonged and prodigious suffering may be inflicted before victory is achieved, unless all the economic resources of our commonwealth, our Allies and friends are mobilized to the fullest possible extent."

He said Germany and the territories she has overrun are facing famine this winter and that next spring the pinch will be even worse.

## Obituaries

## Victoria Man Feared Lost

Lieut. Edward T. Newell, R.N.R., 28, formerly of Victoria, is reported missing and feared lost by the British Admiralty, according to word received here this morning by his parents, Capt. and Mrs. G. M. Newell, 840 Craigflower Road.



LIEUT. E. T. NEWELL

Lieut. Newell, born in Nova Scotia, went to Lampson Street School at Esquimalt and then left for England to study for the mercantile marine on H.M.S. Conway. He served six months in H.M.S. Renown as a cadet, and returned to Victoria to become a cadet on H.M.S. Empress of Asia, in service between British Columbia and the Orient.

Returning to the Atlantic he served with Canadian Pacific liners and was aboard the Empress of Australia when she carried the King and Queen to Canada last year and was on the Empress of Britain when she returned Thel. Majesties to England later. On both ships he was third officer. When war broke out he was called up by the British Navy.

Killed En Route Home From Victoria Visit

Word was received here today of the death on Monday in Pasadena, Calif., of Sally Doreen Powers, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powers, in an automobile accident while returning south from a visit to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers, with their two daughters, spent a week visiting here with Mr. Powers' mother, Mrs. L. Powers, at Langford Lake, and Miss Mary Powers. They left about 10 days ago.

No details of the accident were received but it is believed to have occurred while they were driving back to California from their visit here.

Officers of the Victoria Club for the Hearing Impaired urge a full attendance of members at this evening's meeting to make arrangements for the annual picnic to be held August 14.

The committee would be a wartime experiment with the task ofconcerting and directing the work of all ministerial committees dealing with economic problems.

## British Experts Aid U.S. Plants

The staff assisting the British purchasing commission in the United States would be augmented "by experts with practical experience such as the United States have not had in the production and operation of different types of armament," he said.

"Hitler cannot add starvation to slavery without running the grave risk of revolution within his own territory," Mr. Greenwood added.

Some of Germany's chief industrial areas and airfields have suffered very heavy punishment" from British fliers, and the "output undoubtedly is seriously interfered with," the minister said.

"All refineries, stores, railway junctions, marshaling yards, docks and ships have been and will continue to be targets for our deadly bombing planes, night by night and week by week, more heavily increasing."

## British Shipping Holds Up Well

Turning to shipping, which he said was "not too bad," he warned that "our ports and shipping will be among the main objectives of the enemy's attacks."

"Starvation of the people of this country is impossible," Mr. Greenwood declared.

He concluded with a resume of efforts to increase food stocks and to reduce the intake of commodities which are "not indispensable."

## Overnight Entries At Vancouver

## 'Jimmy' Anderson Dies in Vancouver

James Anderson, one of British Columbia's best-known pioneer mining men and a former resident of Victoria, died Monday in Vancouver, where he had for several years been editor of a mining journal. He was 76, and had been in British Columbia since his early youth. He was born in Scotland.

Rossland was his home for a long time. He had been a purser on C.P.R. boats on the Arrow Lakes, and then got into the mining game. In shrewd deals he was ably seconded by his wife, and it came about that Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Anderson were concerned in many of the mining transactions of the lively period of 20 years ago.

For a time the couple lived in Victoria, and were often heard at public meetings in support of the McBride government.

"Jimmy" started a paper at Princeton, and was active in many other spheres.

Six years ago his wife died. Mr. Anderson married again, and his second wife survives him.

NELSON (CP)—George Kennedy, 57-year-old shift boss who was injured in a slide of dirt at Relief Arlington Mine at Elsie, July 21, died suddenly of internal injuries yesterday. Born in Nova Scotia, he came west 36 years ago and lived at Sandon. Besides a widow, he is survived by three sons, Harold, Frank and Arnold, and a daughter, Pearl, at home, and a brother, James, in Nova Scotia.

ABBOOTT—The remains of Mrs. Mary Ann Abbott, widow of Edwin Abbott, who died last Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Waterson, San Francisco, arrived this afternoon in Victoria, and funeral arrangements will be announced later. She was born in Wales and resided in

Victoria for 50 years before leaving six years ago to make her home in San Francisco. She leaves two sons, E. T. Abbott, Kelowna, and H. C. Abbott, Seattle; a daughter, Mrs. R. A. Waterson, San Francisco, and two sisters, Mrs. E. Williamson, Victoria, and Mrs. S. Thomas, Butte, Mont.

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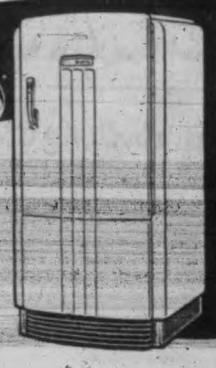
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116, "Pharina" 104.

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Western Canada, one mile and 70

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## Announcements

**BIRTHS**  
MITCHELL-HENRY—To Sarge and Mrs. Mitchell-Henry, ince K. Miller, 1918 Milside Avenue, on Monday, August 5, 1940; at St. Joseph's hospital, a daughter.

**DEATHS**  
ABBOTT—On August 4, 1940, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Watson, 2208 Esquimalt Road, Victoria. Also Abbott, widow of Edwin Abbott, born in Wales and had been a resident of Victoria for over 30 years, and the last six years had been living in Victoria. She leaves two sons, E. T. Abbott of Kelowna and H. C. Abbott of Seattle, Washington. Services, 11 a.m., at the church of St. John the Evangelist, San Francisco, and the services of the Knights of Columbus, and two sisters, Mrs. E. Williams of Victoria and Mrs. J. B. Williams of Bellingham. The remains will arrive in Victoria this afternoon and will be conveyed to Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Funeral arrangements were made by the church.

**POWERS**—On August 3, accidentally killed in a fall from a roof, at Langford, Calif., Sally Doreen Powers, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powers and granddaughter of Mrs. L. Powers of Langford Lodge.

**IN MEMORIAM**  
PHILLIPS—In loving memory of Leslie, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Phillips, died August 7, 1939, at Eastbourne, England.

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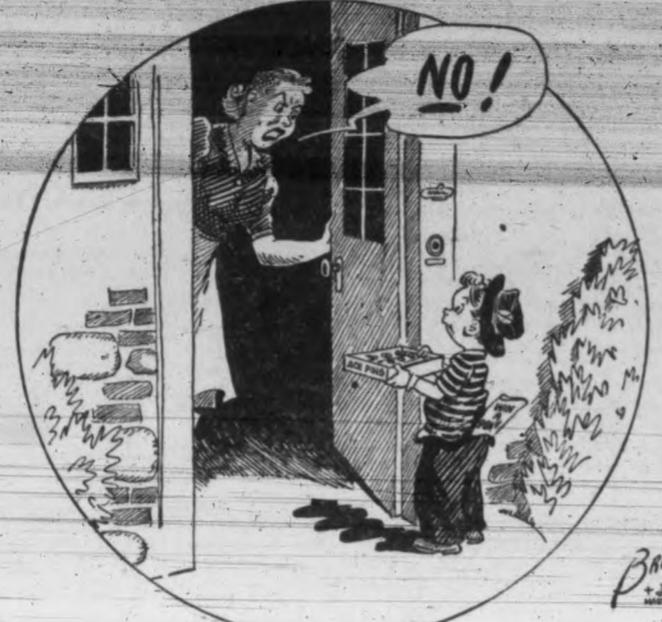
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AND TAKE NOTICE that after the last mentioned date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto or otherwise deal with the same, having regard only to the creditors of which it shall then be his duty to pay.

DATED AT VANCOUVER, B.C., this 22nd day of July A.D. 1940.

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**Notice of Hearing**

Arbutus Rd.—Ferndale Rd. Area.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons who deem themselves affected by the proposed **ZONING BY-LAW 1939 AMENDMENT BY-LAW 1940**, being By-Law 97 of the Council of the District of Saanich, will be afforded an opportunity to be heard on the matters contained therein, before the Municipal Council at a meeting to be held in the Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, on TUESDAY, the 13th day of AUGUST, 1940, at 7:30 p.m.

A copy of the proposed by-law may be seen at the office of the undermentioned between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, and between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on any other week-day.

W. A. GREENE, Clerk of the Municipal Council, Royal Oak, August 5, 1940.

**TENDERS FOR RENTAL OR LEASE OF SAANICH HEALTH CENTRE**

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until 4.30 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 13th, 1940, for rental or lease of the Saanich War Memorial Health Centre Building. For details apply to Dr. Gayton, Saanich Medical Officer, G 4168.

W. A. GREENE, Saanich Municipal Clerk, Royal Oak P.O., B.C.

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## Canadians Roamed Atlantic

## French Aircraft Carrier Searched for Safe Port

By FRANK FLAHERTY

Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa (CP) — The tragedy of the fall of France has a special meaning for Squadron Leader Adelard Raymond of Montreal and a detachment of airmen of the Royal Canadian Air Force. Recently returned to Canada from Martinique, they were aboard the French aircraft carrier Bearn as that ship roamed the Atlantic seeking a safe port of entry while German forces overran the homeland.

The Bearn sailed from an east coast Canadian port for Brest, loaded with American aircraft ready for action in the battle of France. Squadron Leader Raymond was in command of a party of more than 100 airmen who loaded the aircraft, which were flown or shipped from the United States.

With a smaller detachment off men he sailed on the Bearn to assist in servicing the aircraft and to instruct the French airmen in their operation and servicing.

## COURTEOUSLY TREATED

He told the story of the Atlantic odyssey to the Canadian Press in an exclusive interview today:

Throughout the long voyage and during their stay at Martinique, the Canadians received excellent treatment and every courtesy from the French. There was never a suggestion that they be interned on the island, and the French authorities raised no objection to their departure when a British warship arrived to pick them up.

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The arrival at Martinique was far from the last of the ocean travels of the Canadian airmen. The British cruiser took them only to a British island in the West Indies, where they caught

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another ship, which took them farther, and they had a number of stops and changes of ship before they finally reached a Canadian port. Squadron Leader Raymond changed ship no less than 14 times, but the other members of the party had fewer changes.

The Canadian Air Force party was loaned to the French government to assist in the transport of American-built aircraft. The Bearn was to ferry aircraft across the Atlantic and that was her first trip.

While no hostile craft were seen on the voyage, the Bearn dropped depth charges once when submarines were reported in the vicinity and the Canadian airmen manned the anti-aircraft guns ready for a possible attack.

A veteran flier, Squadron Leader Raymond served in the Royal Flying Corps in the first Great War. He is a brother of Senator Donat Raymond of Montreal.

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## Terms of Ship Agreement Given

LONDON (CP Cable) — The British government has requisitioned nine-tenths of the liners belonging to established British shipping lines. Ronald Cross, Minister of Shipping, announced last night.

This was apart from ships adapted as armed merchantmen, hospital ships and transports.

Terms of the agreement between the government and shipowners show owners will be paid a rental varying according to the class of ship and the conditions under which it was requisitioned. In addition, they will receive sums for depreciation and a "reasonable return on capital."

Merchant shipping was requisitioned at the outbreak of the war and the Ministry of Shipping was established last October 13.

The agreement also showed that loans totaling £4,817,000 (about \$21,435,650) had been approved toward the cost of building new ships. Under the British Shipping (Assistance) Bill, about 100 cargo vessels already built or building will be entitled to a grant under the scheme.

A Ministry of Shipping memorandum explaining the agreement said the tonnage replacement scheme is designed to "go some of the way" toward enabling the replacement after the war of ships lost due to war risks, but it cannot guarantee funds will be available for this purpose.

The Admiralty announced yesterday the naval trawlers Drummer and Rambler had been sunk by "enemy mines" with some loss of life, and that the next of kin had been informed. The announcement did not indicate where the trawlers were lost.

## Yacht Corsair Sails

Passed by Censor

NEW YORK (AP) — The \$2,000,000 yacht Corsair, sold last May by Financier J. P. Morgan to a firm representing the British government, was en route today to an undisclosed British port, presumably for active war duty.

The palatial, black-hulled craft slipped away from a Hoboken, N.J., dock Sunday, British officials here acknowledged today.

Officials of a drydock concern that recently overhauled the schooner-type vessel which has a cruising radius of 25,000 miles also confirmed her reported sailing. They said she apparently sailed to some British port, presumably for active war duty.

Instead of trying to make each new battleship, cruiser or destroyer a little better than its predecessor, as it has in the past, the navy—so save time—is going to let one design stand for as many ships in each category as possible.

Development of aircraft has forced naval shipbuilders to make radical changes in designs in order to give warships adequate protection both from aerial bombs and from shellfire and torpedoes.

Rear-Admiral S. M. Robinson, chief of the new bureau of ships, told a Congressional committee recently there was a good possibility the development of Diesel engines might revolutionize battleship design by doing away with the need for space-taking boilers.

This would permit more weight to be devoted to armor or, with the same armor, to increase the ships' speed, he said. It was recalled in naval circles, however, the German pocket battleship Graf Spee was Diesel powered and proved incapable of withstanding the beating handed her by three smaller British cruisers.

Canning company officials here said today no such application has been made or contemplated, however.

## Sockeye Export Ban?

VANCOUVER (CP) — Fearing a request to Ottawa by British Columbia cannery for ban on export of sockeye salmon to the United States, protests in advance of possible embargo have been made to B.C. members at the capital by B.C. fishermen's groups.

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## Accra Torpedoed

London (CP) — The 9,337-ton British freighter Accra has been torpedoed and sunk while in convoy off the west coast of Ireland. It was disclosed tonight.

The Elder and Dempster Lines, operators of the vessel, denied reports current in New York that the Accra had refugee children aboard.

The official announcement of the sinking said the Accra's survivors were picked up by other ships in the convoy and have been landed at a northwestern British port.

The attacking submarine was believed to have been sunk by the convoy's escorting warships.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that the following unwatched lights are reported not having been re-lighted as soon as possible.

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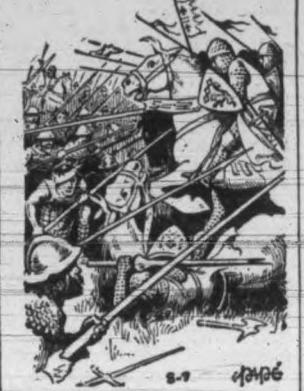
By Williams

## Uncle Ray

## House of Stuart Had Tragic History

If you look into the history of a royal family, you may find a great deal of adventure and sadness, but you will have to search a long time to match the story of the House of Stuart.

Eight centuries ago, a young noble was sent to Scotland by the English king. The Normans had held power in England for nearly 100 years, and had obtained some control over the Scots.



By Martin

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

ONE WHALE WILL FURNISH AS MUCH MEAT AS ONE HUNDRED CATTLE!

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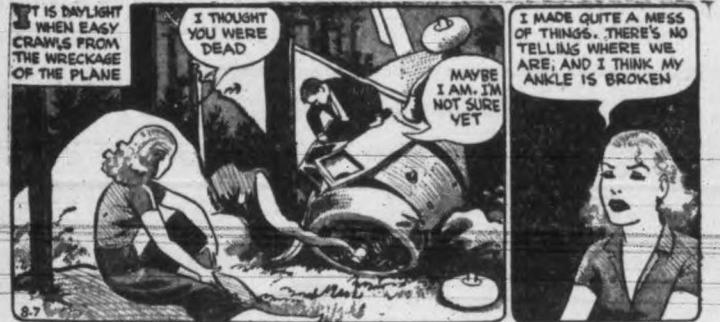
## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

## Boots and Her Buddies



By Roy Crane

## Wash Tubs



The young noble was named Walter, and he was given a great deal of land in Scotland. The king also gave him the office of Steward of Scotland.

Walter's son held the same office, and so did his grandson and great-grandson. That is the reason for the family name of the House of Stewart, or Stewart. The French spelling was Stuart, and that is how it is most often spelled in history books.

As time went on, the Stuarts came to feel more Scottish than English. They fought in battles for the freedom of Scotland.

In the year 1315, one of the Stuarts married a princess, Marjorie, the daughter of Robert Bruce. A son of this marriage at length came to the Scottish throne.

From that time onward, there was a line of Stuart kings in Scotland. I shall give the story of some of them in short form today. It is a tale of strange tragedy.

The second Stuart king lost one son by murder, and another became a prisoner of war. The third Stuart was a prisoner for 18 years, and at length was murdered. The fourth was killed in the seige of a city.

The fifth Stuart king suffered under a rebellion by his own son, and the sixth was slain on the battlefield.

Later, came Mary, Queen of Scots, who was three times a widow, and who was held prisoner for 20 years. At last she was charged with treason by Elizabeth, and was put to death.

Then came a quick change of fortune. The son of Mary, Queen of Scots, was given the English throne, ruling both England and Scotland.

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### City Makes Plans For Registration

Alderman T. W. Hawkins was appointed senior deputy in charge of registration of civic staffs under the new federal regulations today.

He will be assisted by three other aldermen, W. L. Morgan, W. H. Davies and B. J. Gadsden, as well as other deputies he may select.

In an effort to facilitate the registration forms will be delivered at the City Hall without delay. They will be distributed among employees and filled out in preparation for scrutiny by the deputy and his assistants during the first day the registration officially opens.

Approximately 300 employees in the City Hall, outside staff, police, fire and library departments will be handled by the City Hall organization.

### ARRIVES DAILY

Shipments of summer fruit, ever increasing in size, are continually arriving at local wholesalers, the majority coming from the Okanagan. Cantaloupes, the now at their best and at the lowest price they will be this season, and pears, were included in the latest shipment from the interior.

Arriving from California over the week-end was a large shipment of oranges, lemons and grapefruit. Seedless grapes are arriving every day and are now at their best.

On the local market Bradshaw plums and Italian prunes are starting and will be available soon. Corn is more plentiful and a few field tomatoes can be obtained.

### Tour Parties Here

Specially conducted tour parties are arriving daily in Victoria.

The Burkett tour of eight people arrived at the Empress hotel at 12:30 today from St. Louis, Missouri. The Brownell tour, comprising seven persons and hailing from Tuscaloosa, Alabama, arrived from Seattle at 9:45 last night and will proceed to Vancouver today.

### Ministers Leaving

Two provincial cabinet ministers will visit the Peace River district this month.

Hon. C. S. Leary, public works, will leave Victoria today, accompanied by Arthur Dixon, deputy minister, to make a study of the highway situation in the northern territory.

He will be followed Saturday by Hon. K. C. MacDonald, agriculture, with his deputy, J. B. Munro. Dr. MacDonald plans to attend several of the country fairs in the area.

### Langley to Compete

The district of Langley, which for three years in succession won the J. W. Tolmie Trophy at the Fall Fair with spectacular displays, has definitely decided to enter again in this contest, according to word received by W. H. Mearns, secretary of the B.C. Agricultural Association.

The fair, which in its 79th year, and will be held from September 7 to 14, abandoned the district exhibits for one year in favor of new contest, commercial displays of fruit.

Popularity of the district exhibits, however, proved so great that fair officials decided to resume the competition. Several districts are expected to enter, including Victoria, which has an enviable record of wins since the contest was first established in 1911.

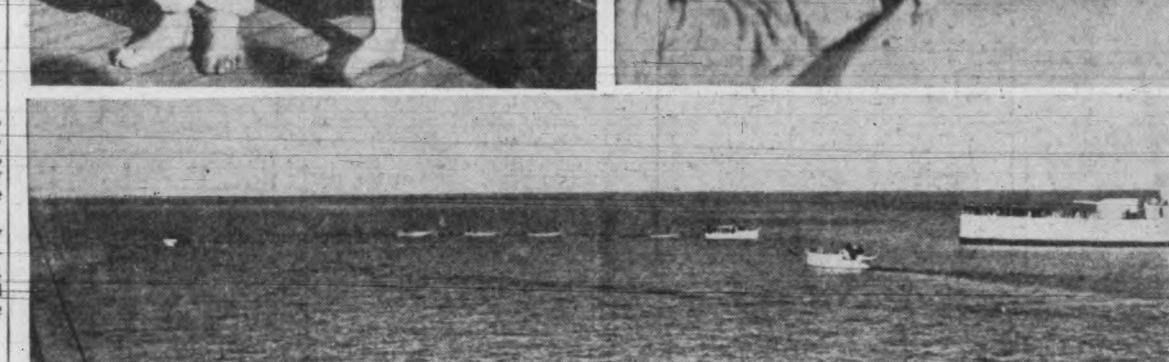
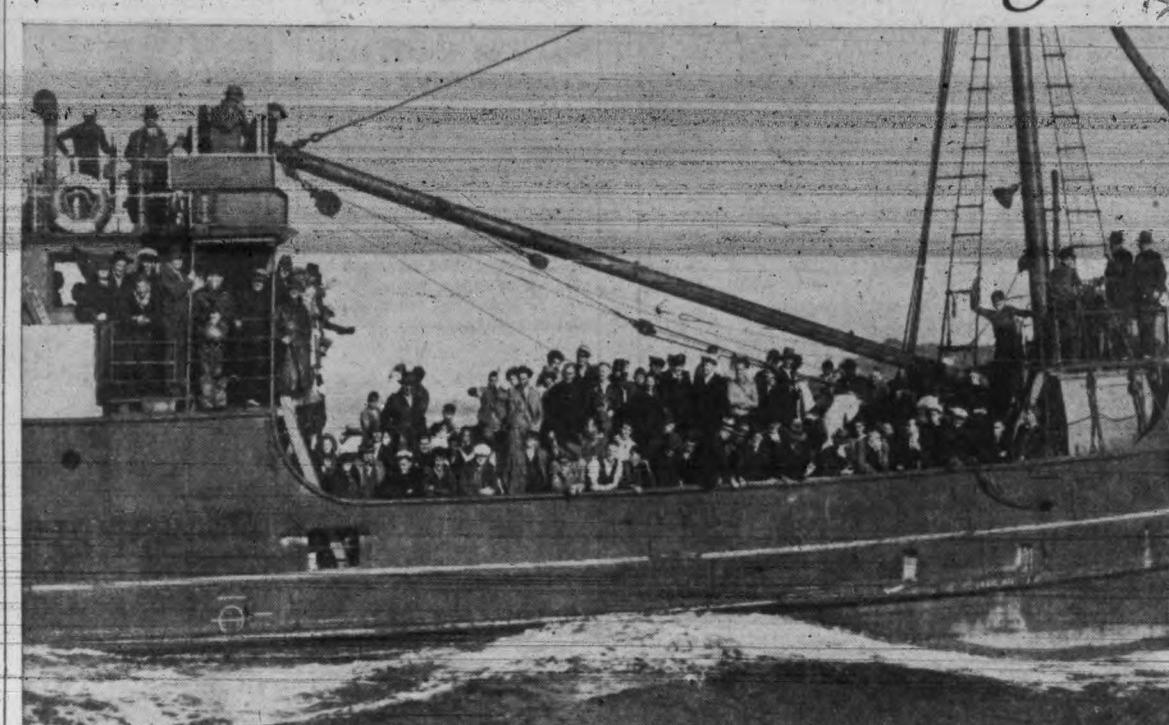
Cash prizes for this contest amount to \$375, of which the first prize is \$150.

The commercial fruit exhibits will be retained this year, so that with the district exhibits the Main Building should have a spectacular display of agricultural and horticultural produce.

### 25 Years Ago

AUGUST 7, 1915  
REVELSTOKE — Capt. Palmer of the Royal Canadian Engineers, Ottawa, arrived here yesterday, and on behalf of the militia authorities inspected the proposed site for the detention camp for enemy aliens in the Revelstoke Park.

One of the Chinamen who escaped the fate of his companion in an accident which occurred at the Gorge yesterday owes his survival to Frank Blake of this city, who was below the bridge in a



rowboat at the time of the upset and who managed to pull one of them to safety.

His fellow members in the police department last evening presented Constable Charles Chamberlain with a gold watch, as a souvenir of their appreciation on the eve of his departure for England, where he will join an artillery corps and go into the fighting line in France.

### Stood Knitting While Niagara Was Sinking

A spirit which kept her smiling in adversity and made the cheerfulness of fellow passengers her primary concern, made Mrs. Violet Zuick, a comely, young, shy woman of Ladysmith, an unsung heroine of the disaster which struck R.M.S. Niagara, sunk June 19 off the New Zealand coast by an enemy mine.

Mrs. Zuick, who admitted "shipwreck on a moonlight night on a calm sea seemed the most thrilling thing in the world to me at the moment," was one of those who cheerfully led singing among the passengers while they were adrift for nine hours in open boats between Australia and New Zealand, awaiting the arrival of rescue ships.

An autograph album, among the few effects she managed to save from the disaster, bore witness to the splendid spirit this Australian girl put up among fellow passengers, for from each of the survivors who signed it—nearly 50—in all it contained a tribute to her cheerfulness and the effort she made to prove to others things were not as bad as they might

have been.

Mrs. Zuick, wife of a Ladysmith retail merchant whom she married last October after a storybook romance, would not discuss her part in helping others during the rescue, but other survivors were only too willing to tell of what she had done and the way she had made the ordeal easier for all of them.

From a sentimental point of view she probably had greater reason to look after her own interests than anyone else's, for she was an Australian girl who had just been home to receive the well wishes and gifts of a host of friends who wished her happiness in married life. But these cherished presents were all lost while she busied herself going below decks on the sinking ship to save the belongings of elderly women and calmly standing knitting on the deck of the Niagara to help keep everyone calm, while officers and men lowered the life-boats.

Questioned about the assistance she had given an elderly woman whom she met on deck at this time, Mrs. Zuick admitted she had done the orders.

"You see, she didn't have her passport. I knew the trouble she might run into without it, so I said I would go to her cabin and get it. She said 'Don't you dare,' but in the excitement I went

ahead. I got her papers, her money and passport, and she was certainly pleased."

"While I was below I also got my knitting. When I got back on deck they were preparing to lower the boats. I had nothing else to do, so I started knitting."

Other passengers told how word spread along the deck among the frantic passengers that "Mrs. Zuick is knitting," and it was a great help in calming some who were inclined to be hysterical but realized things could not be so bad if anyone was prepared to stop and knit.

"They started to lower the boats," Mrs. Zuick continued, "and all the women had held the ropes because the men were busy getting the boats down. Then we all got in the boats and rowed away to a safe distance and watched the ship go down."

Further evidence of the thrill and calm with which Mrs. Zuick greeted the situation was the fact she kept a diary of the whole shipwreck, and apparently made entries at regular intervals without letting the awkwardness of the situation disturb her.

### DIARY OF WRECK

Her diary for the latter part of the rescue reads:

"3:40 a.m.: Taking in water. Nose going down. Lifeboats lowered; women and children first. Ladies at one end holding

ropes till men entered ships (lifeboats). Ship foundered 5:32 a.m. Watched her slowly disappear. The moon was high and now day has just broken. Everything lost her hope."

Other passengers told how Mrs. Zuick, in a lifeboat containing 15 people, kept them singing "Roll Out the Barrel," "Pack Up Your Troubles" and "How Dry I Am" to keep them happy. Questioned about this, she said:

"Well, it was really nothing. I was the youngest of the grown-ups in the boat and it all seemed a thrill to me, so I thought I would try and keep the others feeling the way I did. I really felt so sorry for many of the older people. They had lost everything and were feeling pretty badly."

In her boat was a Mrs. Wilson of Vancouver, an expectant mother, who had a young child in arms. An entry in Mrs. Zuick's diary at this time said: "The baby's being fed at 7:45 a.m." and was signed by Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Zuick, who, along with every other survivor, sang the praises of the members of the Niagara's crew, told how one of the crew warmed the baby's bottle by holding it against his chest.

The situation was not without its humorous side, however. Mrs. Zuick said: "One of the passen-

gers, a wrestler, struggled valiantly in the dark hours of the morning with what he thought to be an oar, never venturing a complaint because a small man beside him appeared to berowing so easily. When dawn broke, however, it developed he had been rowing with the steering oar which was a considerably larger and more cumbersome instrument to use."

Mrs. Zuick was a bride of only six months when she went to Australia, returning home after a fairy tale romance which culminated in marriage.

She met her husband, Albert Zuick, at Ladysmith in June, last year, when the ship on which she was en route to New York stopped there. After seeing him two or three times during the week she was there she agreed to his suggestion that she would call back when she returned from New York. She returned in September. In October they were married. In April of this year she returned to wind up her business affairs in Perth, her home town, and she was en route to her new home for good when disaster struck the Niagara.

"No, sir, I'll never leave again without Al" she assured, realizing now the danger she had passed safely through which at the time had seemed such a great thrill to her.

### Thursday, Friday and Saturday

### Meat Department

LEGS OF VEAL, lb. - - - 16c

RUMPS OF VEAL, lb. - - - 21c

VEAL CHOPS, lb. - - - 23c

BREASTS, lb. - - - - - 10c

STEAK and KIDNEY 2 lbs. 25c

MINCED STEAK 2 lbs. 25c

BEEF SPECIALS

Boiling Beef, lb. 10c

Pot Roasts, lb. 15c

Roasted Roasts, lb. 18c

Round Steak 25c

Sirloin Steak 25c

Club Steak 25c

BACON

Cottage Rolls, tenderized, lb. 27c

Picnic Shoulders, tenderized, lb. 18c

Sliced Ayrshire, per lb. 25c

SPECIAL BLEND TEA 45c

Sugar-Crisp Corn Flakes 6c

CELERY, each. 3c

SOAP, White Naphtha. 3c

CARBOLIC SOAP . . . 3c

FLY SWATTERS . . . . .

PREPARING PEACHES, crate, \$1.14

FRESH BASS FILLETS, lb. 7c

RED SALMON, As cut, lb. 15c

SWEET PRUNES, lb. . . . . 5c

BLACK FIGS, lb. . . . . 5c

RICE, lb. . . . . 5c

WHITE BEANS, lb. . . . . 5c

FRESH PLUMS, lb. . . . .

SWEET CORN 15c

PREPARED MUSTARD 9c

SOFT SOAPS 45c

SODA BISCUITS 15c

SHRIMP 9c

PEARS 9c

MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING 45c

SPAGHETTI 45c

ORMOND'S SODAS 37c

LARGE WOODEN BOX

SUNLIGHT SOAP 4 bars 19c

GRIGO 21c

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